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BEAR MEMORIES



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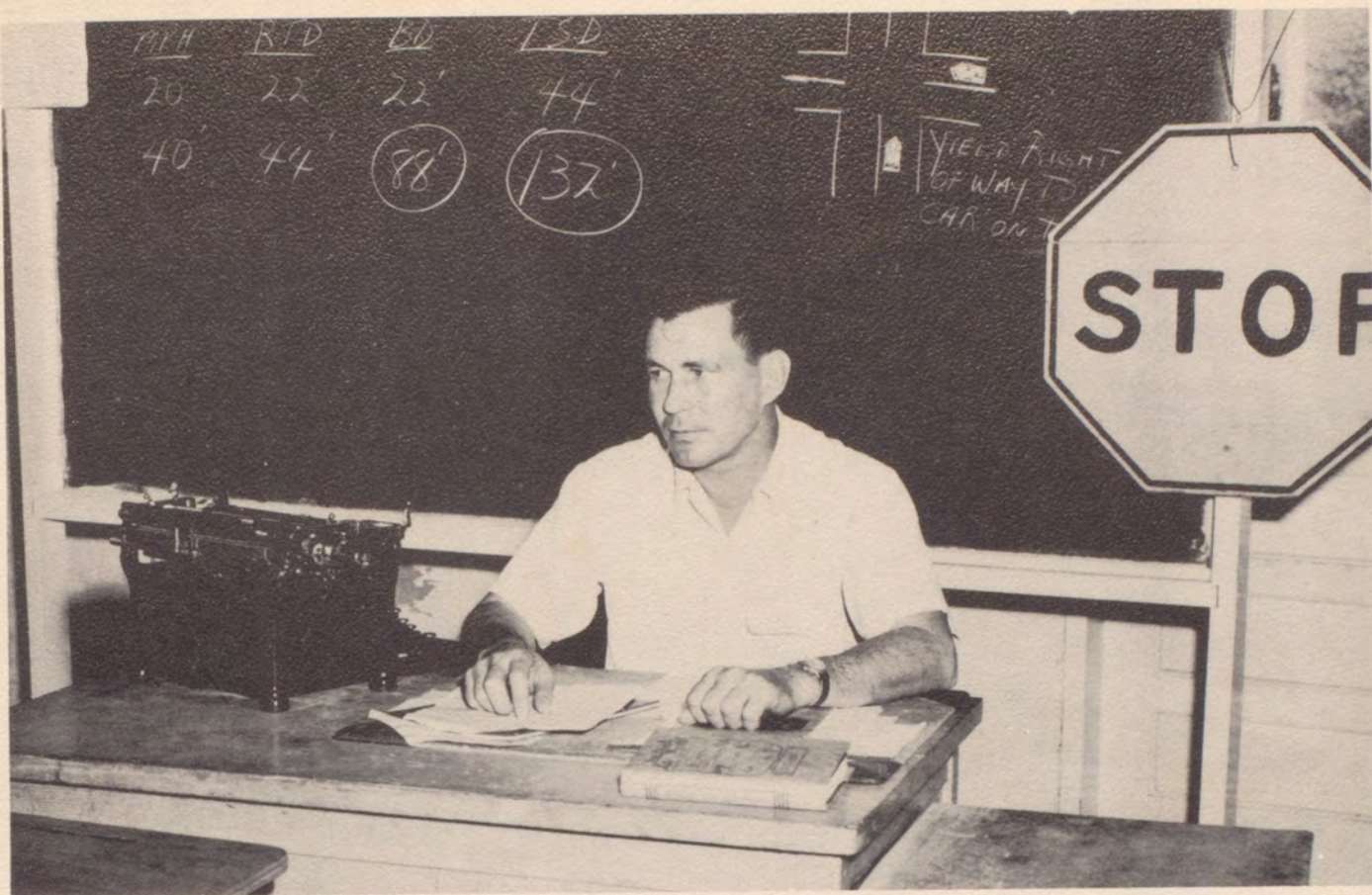
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Foreword

Here is your 1954 Bear Memories. 1954--the year PSJA won the Sportsmanship Trophy. 1954--a year of many wonderful and varied memories. We sincerely hope that every time you leaf through this book, you will recapture the joys and tears of a year at PSJA High School.





Mr. Tub Cheaney teaches driver education to countless freshmen. Every senior remembers his friendly counsel during that most trying of all times--the Freshman Year.

Mr. Cheaney also coaches the B-string of the football team. Always a pal to his boys, they know he is right there behind them.

It is with great pride that we dedicate the 1954 Bear Memories to Mr. Tub Cheaney.



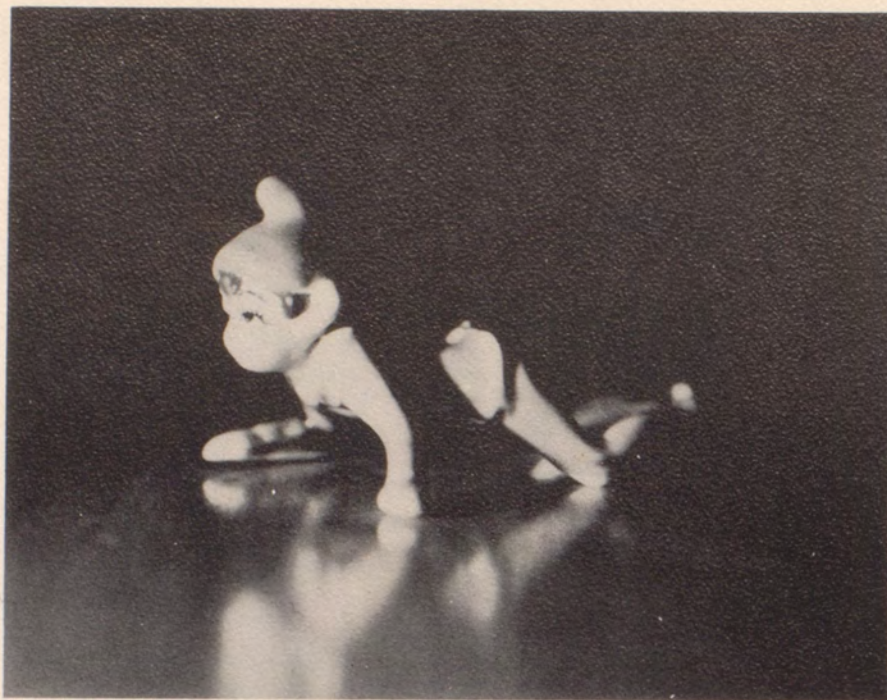


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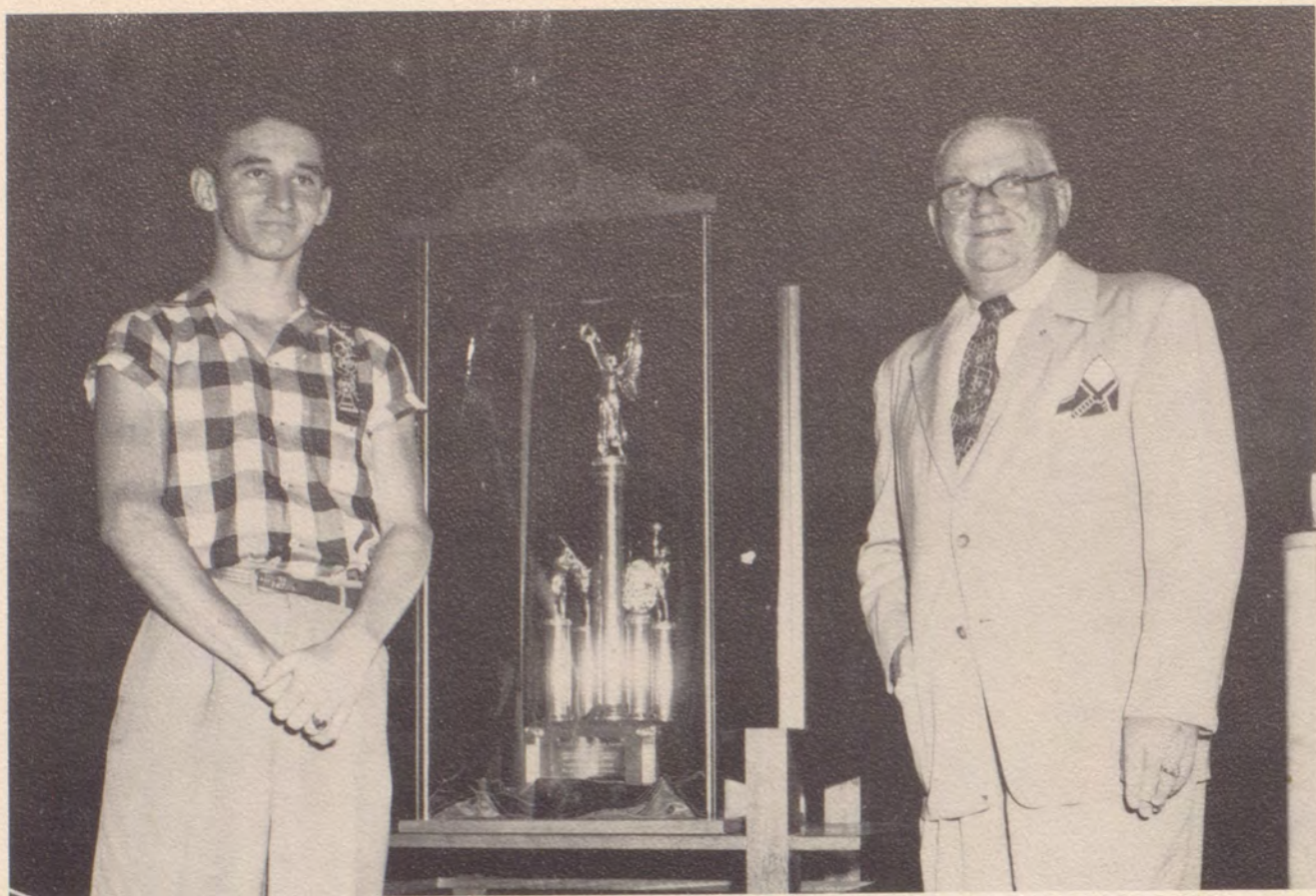
Activities

ACTIVITIES

53-54

P. S. J. A.
HAYRIDE





Paul Freeman, representative of the student body, receives Sportsmanship Trophy from president of San Benito Rotary Club.



It was a fall of honors for P. S. J. A. in '53. Named all district were Dick Sorensen, Max Cantu, James Adams, and Johnny Grote. Coach Doug Cooke was named as coach of the year.



T-Club boys have sweetheart dance at the new club room.



Billy Havens crowns Roberta McMillin sweetheart of the T-Club.



Marilyn Reid is crowned sweetheart of the F. T. A. club by La Moyne Boren.



A skit and serenade to the football boys.

Another skit for the pep-rally but this time it's a baby act.



Showing the spirit of P. S. J. A. at the bonfire before the McAllen football game.



Here is part of the crowd that will be watching the McAllen game. They are at a bonfire to help cheer the boys on to victory. The boys standing up in the middle will be playing against McAllen.



Bruno, Phil Vance, is wishing our football boys good luck in their game against McAllen that night.

During the last few minutes of the Edinburg-P. S. J. A. game, some of the P. S. J. A. boys are watching their lead of 13-12 dwindle down to a loss of 19-13. They played one of their best games against the 8-AAA Champion Bobcats.





Bonnie Barber
Miss Bearettes



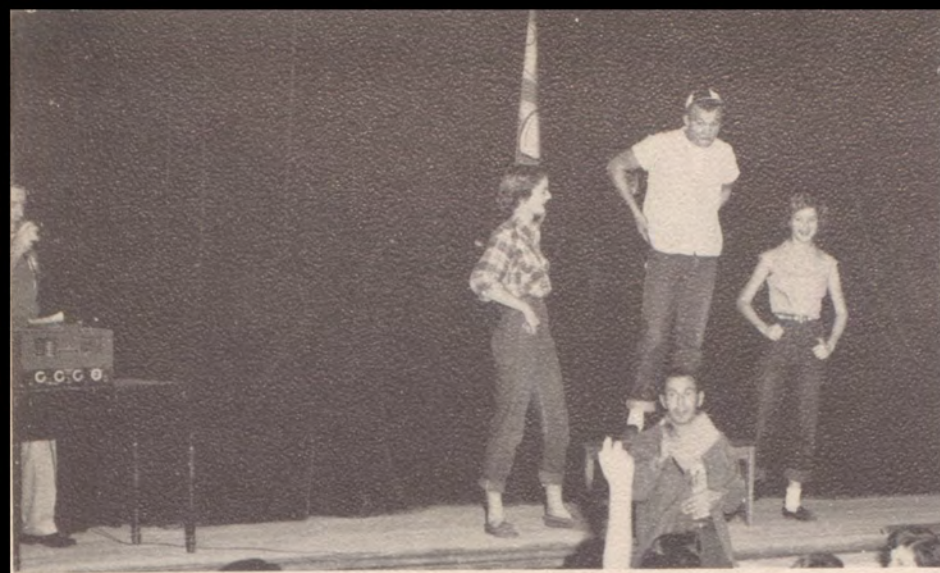
Bobbie Trent
Honeybear



Paul Freeman
Bearettes Sweetheart

Lila Johnson
Band Sweetheart





Philip Cowgill is being sold at the "T" Club Slave Sale.

This year's football captains are, from left to right, Johnny Grote, Billy Havens, and Noe Rodriguez.



Here are three senior girls who have just received their senior band jackets and Bearette sweaters. Lila Johnson and Liby Ann Linn have band jackets and Nita Hines has her Bearette sweater.



Ten beautiful girls vie for Homecoming queen.

Exes talk over old times.



Refreshments are served at the tea honoring the exes.

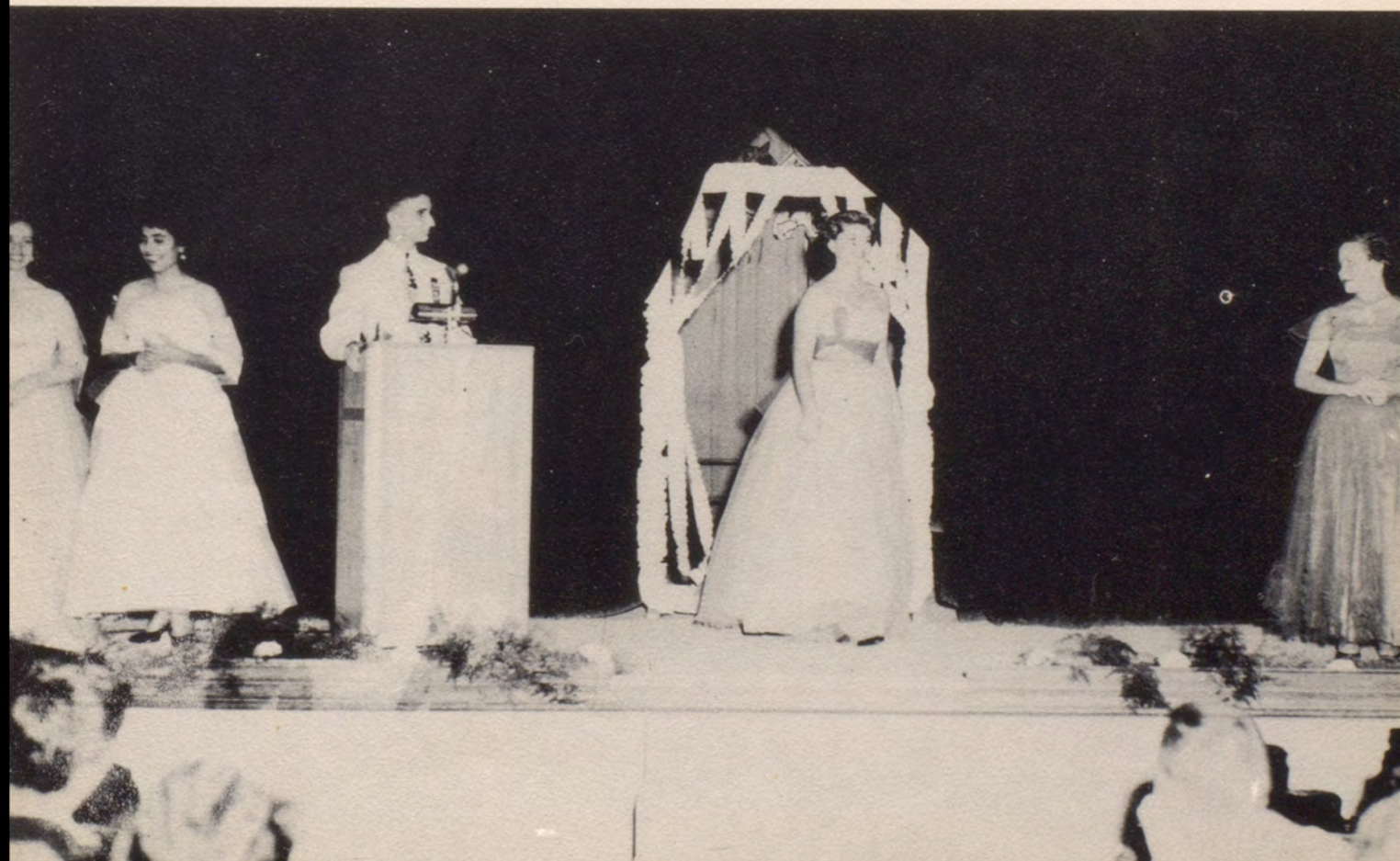


Old Friends Return



Homecoming Queen, Blanca Ramirez, is crowned at the half time football game by Travis Martin and Spencer Knapp.

Homecoming Queen candidates are presented at the big assembly honoring the Exes.



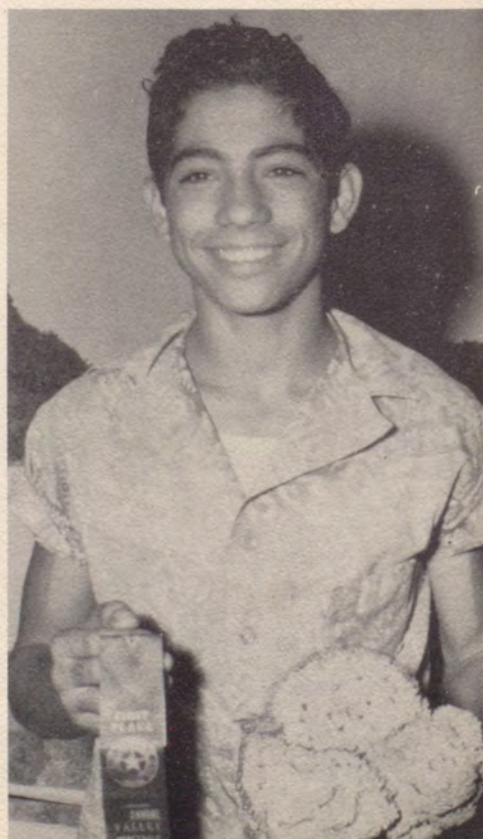


Santo Salinas and Kenneth Hunter are preparing the honor ribbons for the Pharr Vegetable Show.

Howard Hotcaveg took second place honors at the Annual Pharr Vegetable Show.



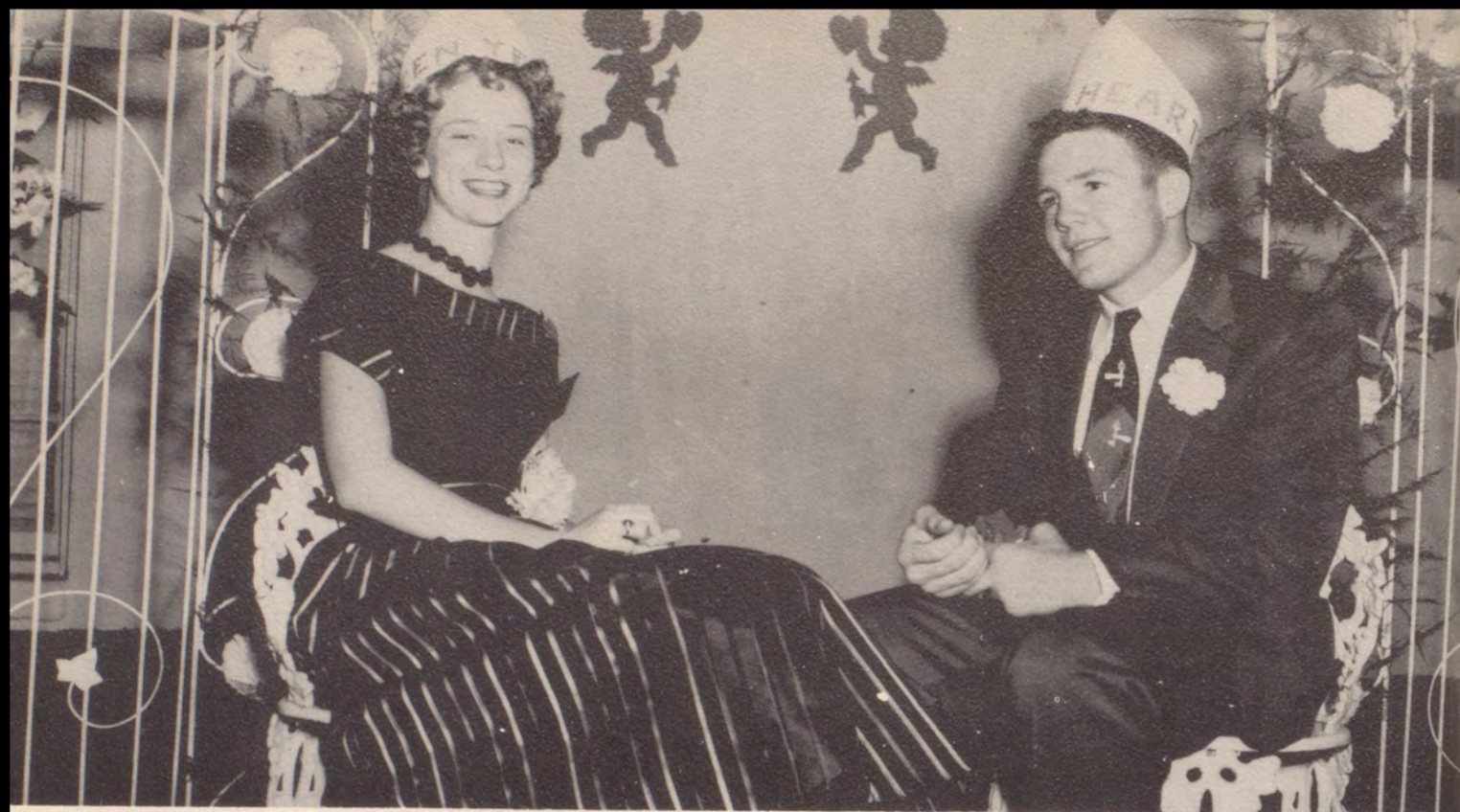
Gregorio Gonzalez won first place in the cauliflower division.



Every year the Y-Teens collect clothing or food to give to needy families. Here are some of the girls preparing to deliver them.



At Christmas time every year the Y-Teens place a large tree in the hall and the students gather round to sing carols.



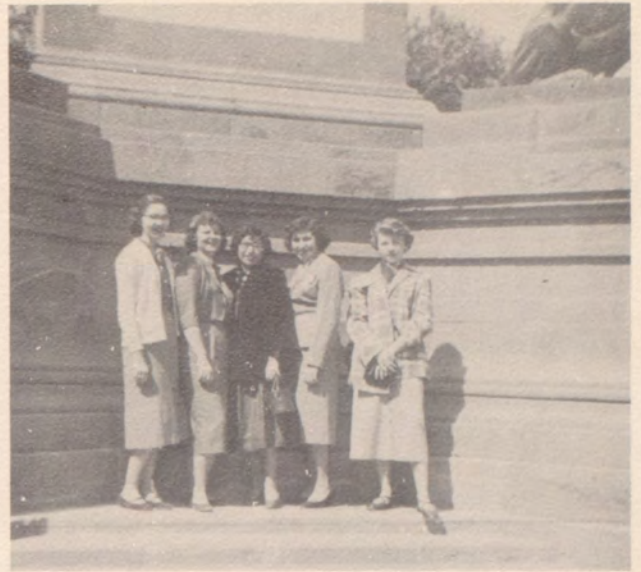
Jonell Hodgson, Y-Teen of the The Year, and Tommy Reeves, Y-Teen Sweetheart, are presented at the annual Sweetheart Dance.

The Y-Teen Sweetheart, Tommy Reeves, has started the dancing followed by a few others at the Sweetheart Dance.





My, don't they look pretty?



These Seniors look like they are enjoying themselves.



Overlookin the city of Monterrey, Mexico.

The trip up to Horsetail Falls on donkeys.



THE SENIOR CHANT, VIVA MONTERREY!

An annual event of the Senior class is the trip to Monterrey, Old Mexico. Here are some of the pictures taken while there.

Poor Horse!



The Junior Class Of 1954

Presents

"Strictly Formal"

Pat Hall, the New York she-wolf, plays up to Philip Vance as Marianell Bormann and Jane Moseley look on in disgust.



One of the first scenes from the play.



CAST

JANE	Marinell Bormann
SALLY	Jane Mosely
AGNES	Rose Marie Weisfeld
ANDREW CUTLER	Pomroy Morre
NETTIE CUTLER	Sandra Kimbriel
MR. AHERN	Phil Anderson
JIM	Don Inge
ROSE TILTON	Ann Seitz
MRS. TILTON	Lois Koehler
JOSIE TILTON	Agnes Dunning
ELROY	Philip Cowgill
GEORGE	Philip Vance
MARCIA	Pat Hall
CINDY COLLINS	Joy Whitlock
MARILYN	Barbara Billmeyer
LT. BOB CUNNINGHAM	Bolivar Andrews

Sandra Kimbriel, Agnes Dunning, and Lois Koehler in a scene from the Junior play.



Rose Marie Weisfeld, as the maid, gives Joy Whitlock, Cindy, a tray of medicine for one of the dramatic scenes from the play.

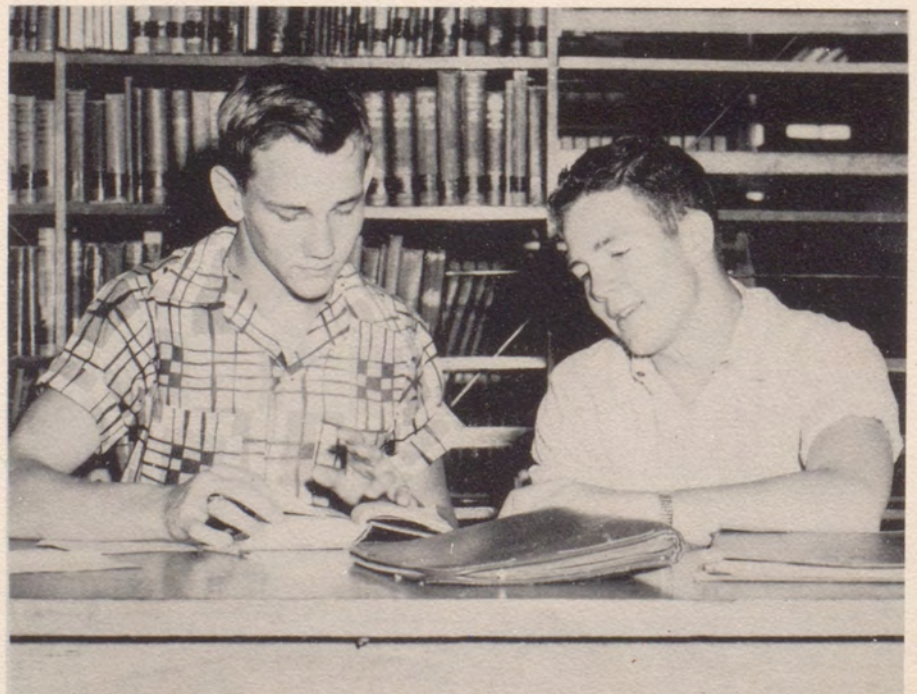
Philip Vance comforts Marinell Bormann while Jane Mosely looks on.





Mr. Callihan giving one of the Who's Who winners their prize at special assembly.

Dick Sorenson and Tommy Reeves recently took a test to enter into the Annapolis Naval Academy and passed it. They will leave soon after school is out.

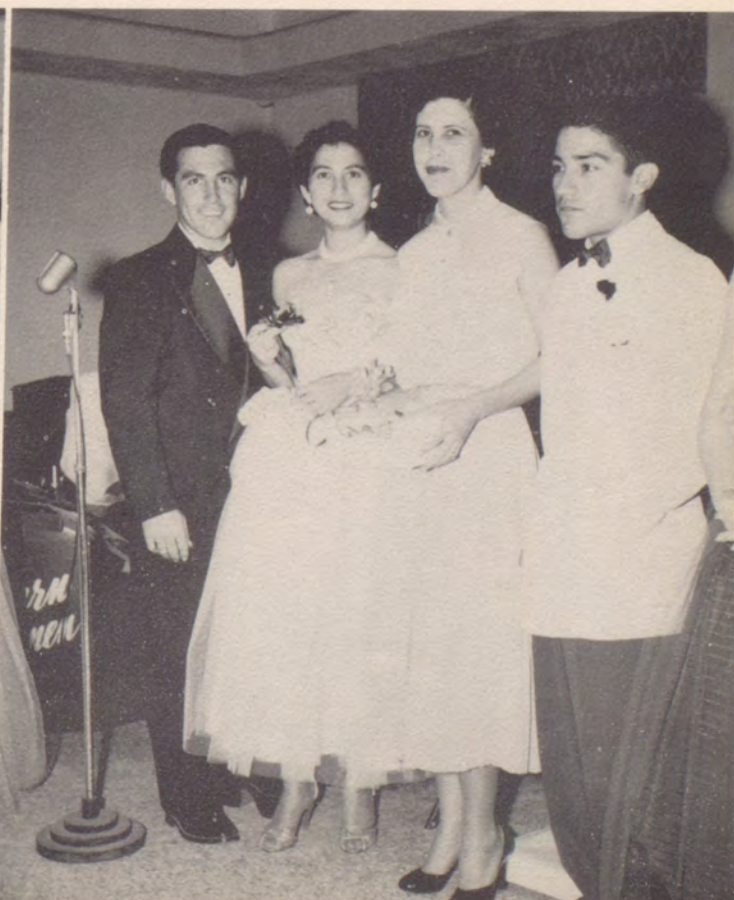




Presentation of Belle and Beau and Class Favorites was held at the Belle and Beau Dance.

Maria Vasquez and Don Inge present gifts to Belle, Clotilde Guerra, and Beau, Billy Havens.

1954 and 1955 cheerleaders present their sponsor with a gift.





The Sr. Play, "Ah! Men!" was still in the rehearsal stage when the annual went off to press, so pictures were taken during practice.
Here the entire cast line up to have their picture taken.

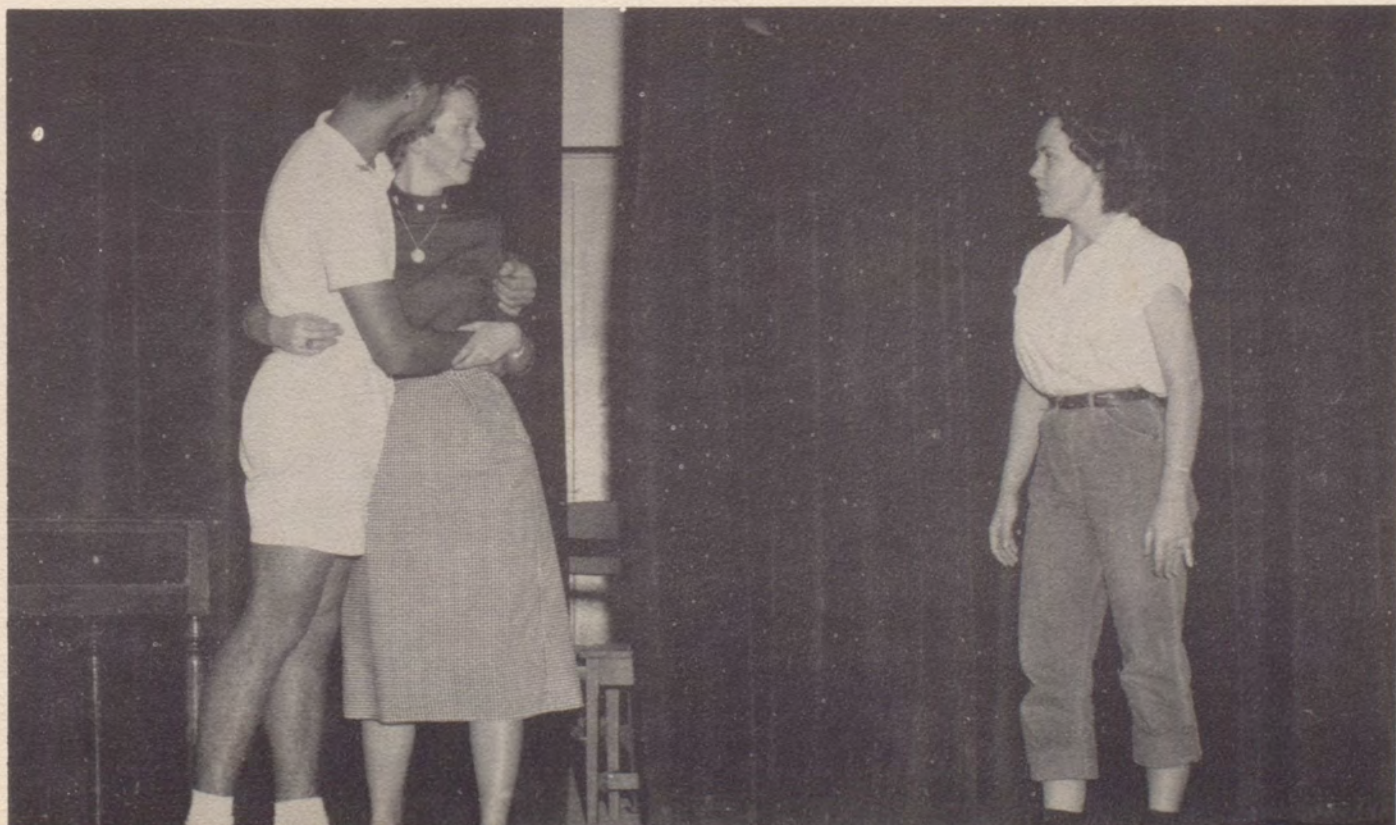
Varied reactions are registered as Alba Chrestaffel and Fred Slattery give the German Salute.

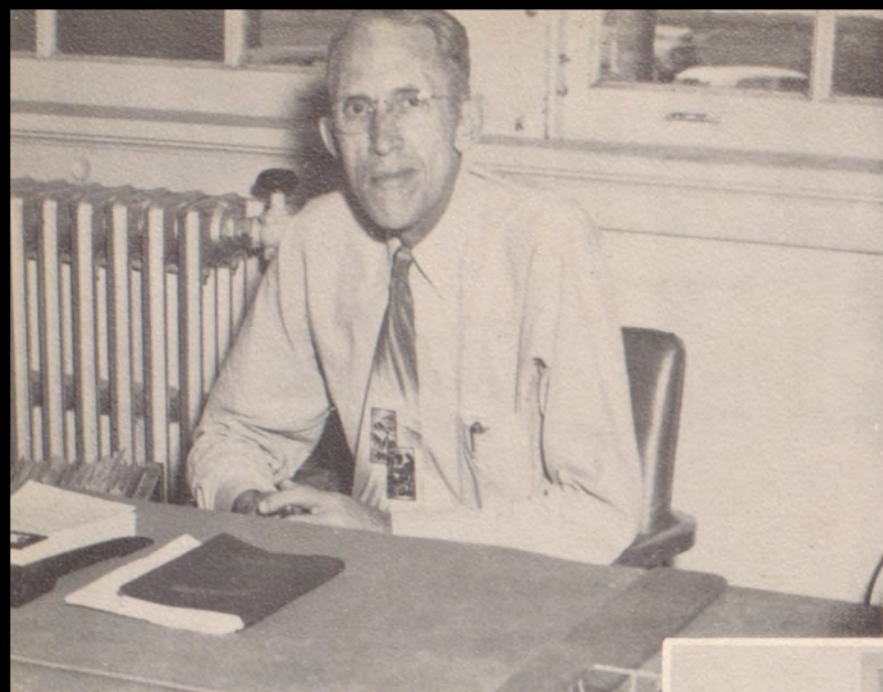


Pat Cook and Billy Havens get tickled while practicing a scene in which Pat takes Billy in her arms and makes love to him.



Earline Hinkle catches Jonell Hodgson and Spencer Knapp in the act (rehearsing of course).





Mr. Hurst took over the role of principal here when the original principal, Champ Callihan moved to Mission to be the Superintendent of schools there.

These coaches of various schools entered their boys and girls in the recent T-Club Tennis Tournament. The trophies on the table were given to the first and second place winners of the tournament.



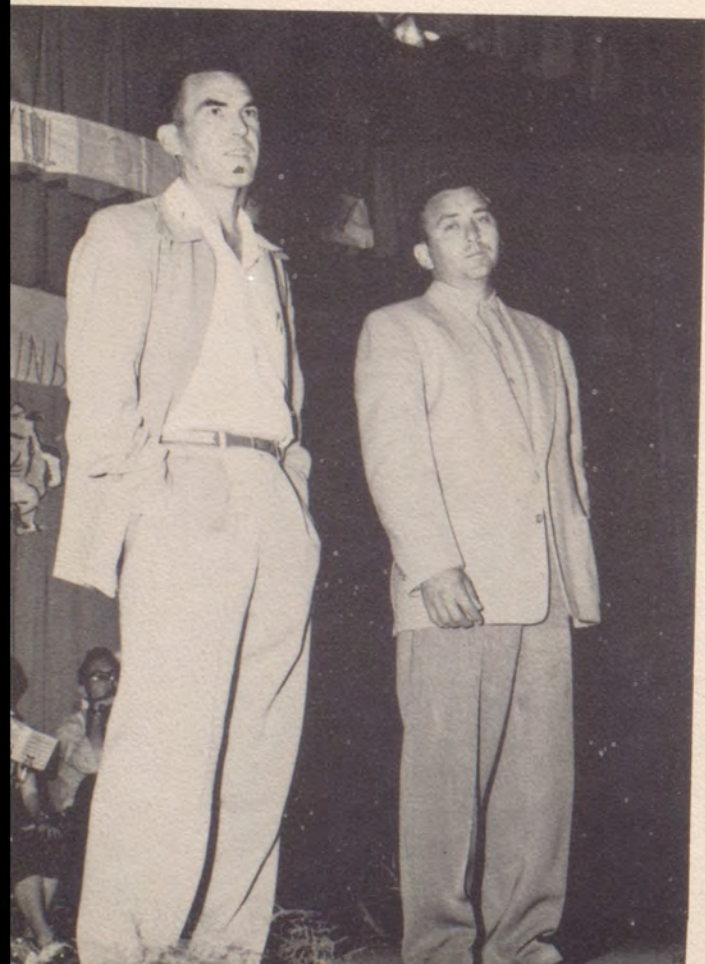
Mrs. Lackey spoke at a recent meeting of the Y-Teens at which she spoke on boy-girl relations. The talk was very interesting and the girls enjoyed it very much.

Sports





Fight, Team, Fight!



PSJA's fighting Bears wound up the 1953 season in fourth place in district play and held top defensive honors in the Valley. Four members of the team were named to the All-District eleven. A hard-hitting, spirited team all the way, PSJA is proud of the 1953 Bears. The Bears opened the season with a 25-0 victory over the Mercedes Tigers on September 11. The Bears strong defense held rigidly while the offence clicked time after time.

On September 18 the Bears were battling hard against the Donna Redskins with no results for either team. Fumbles and inter-



Max Cantu



Ernesto Ayala

ceptions seemed to keep the Bears from scoring. One of these fumbles ended a Bear drive to the Donna seven-yard line. The fourth quarter was too much for the Redskins with Billy Havens scoring twice to put the Bears out in front 14-0. The following week Havens received a broken leg in practice

James Adams

Jose Almanza

Jesus Barrera



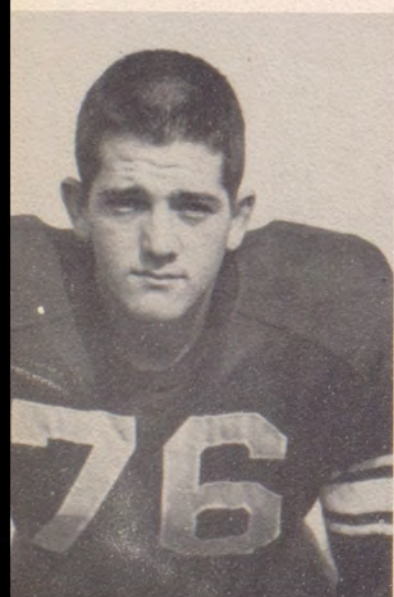


Claude Clifton



Philip Cowgill

Leon Cox



which knocked him out of a very promising season.

The third straight victory came in the Mission game in which the Bears won 21-6. The Mission TD was the first of the season to be scored against the Bears. It was a pass of 16 yards coming from their quarterback Gerald Lyons.

October 2 found the Bears losing a hard fought

Philip Cyphers



Robert Dicus





Paul Freeman



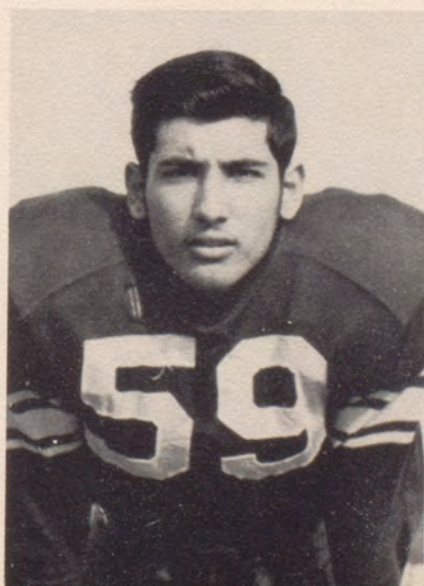
Hector Flores

Alfonso Flores

game 8-0 to McAllen. The Bears drove inside the Bulldog 15 yard line six times but couldn't go over. The game was played mostly in McAllen's end of the field. Fulton, McAllen's quarterback, intercepted a pass on his own twenty and ran it back 80 yards for the only touchdown of the game. After two penalties the Bears were on their own two-yard line with a fourth down. The Bulldogs got two more points when the punter was tackled behind the goal line.

Tony Espinosa

Zeferino Farias





Victor Geery



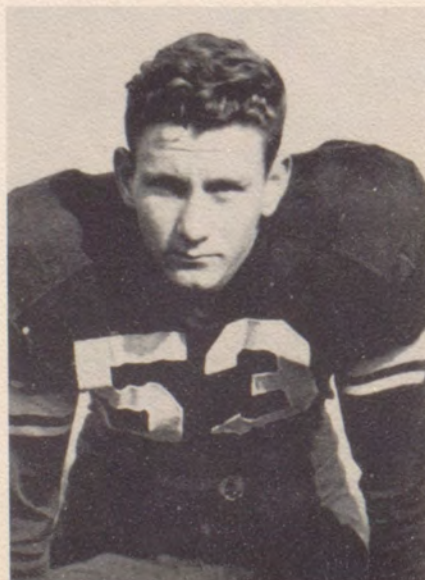
John Grote

Billy Havens

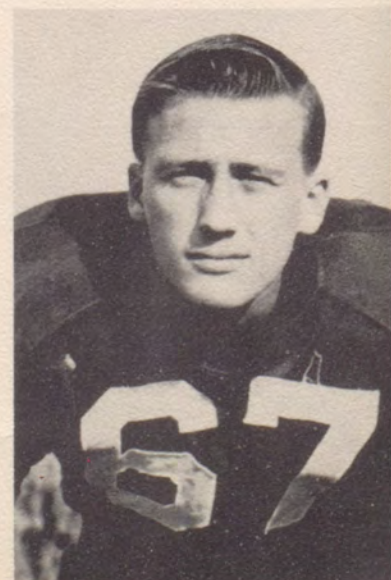
The Bears traveled to Brownsville October 9 to win a 12-7 victory over the hard fighting Brownsville Eagles.

The following Friday the Bears went to San Benito and thundered to a 19-0 victory over the Greyhounds.

October 30 found Carlos Lerma and the Kingsville Brahmas winning a 13-0 victory over the Bears. The Bears fought hard but the shifty footed Lerma was just never there to get a hold on.



Gene Henslee



Howard Hotcaveg



The Bears fought neck'n neck with the Cardinals in their loss, 20-14, to Harlingen. It was a close game, being tied twice, and the Bears fighting back hard as the clock ran out.

The Alice Coyotes visited the Bears here November 13 in a game which the Bears took 19-0. The Bears scored once in the 2nd, 3rd, and 4th quarters.

The Bears' last game was a very thrilling and tight game. The Edinburg Bobcats, who had gone through the



Ruben Paz

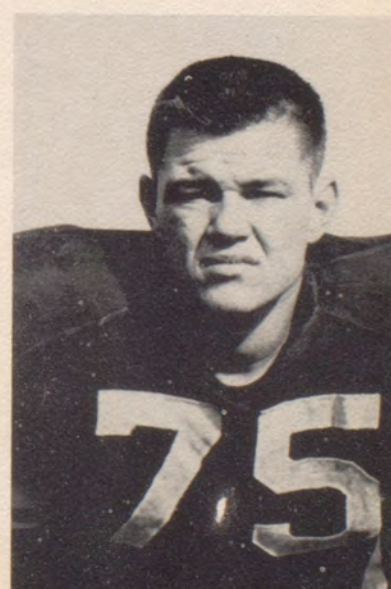


Hector Palacios

Paul Moore

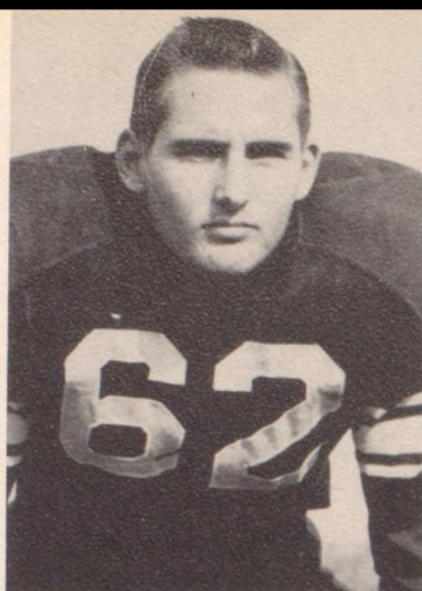
Joe Jiminez

Max Mendiola





Pete Romero



Pepper de Roulac



Rene Sandoval



Noe Rodriguez

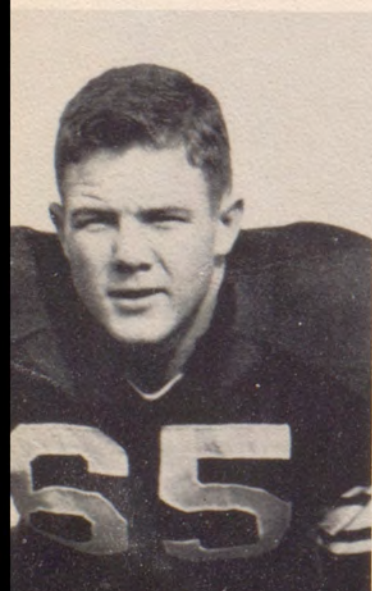
season undefeated, almost got an upset. The half-time score was 6-6. The Bears scored again in the third quarter, leading the Bobcats 13-6. The Bobcats came back with two TD's in the fourth, the last one taking place with only one minute and fifty seconds to go.

Tommy Reeves

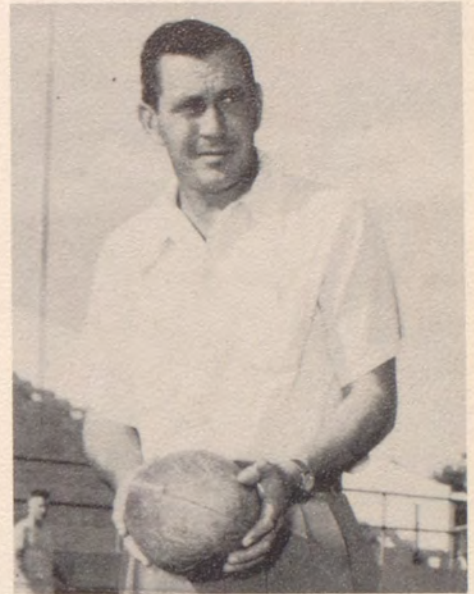


Emelio Vela

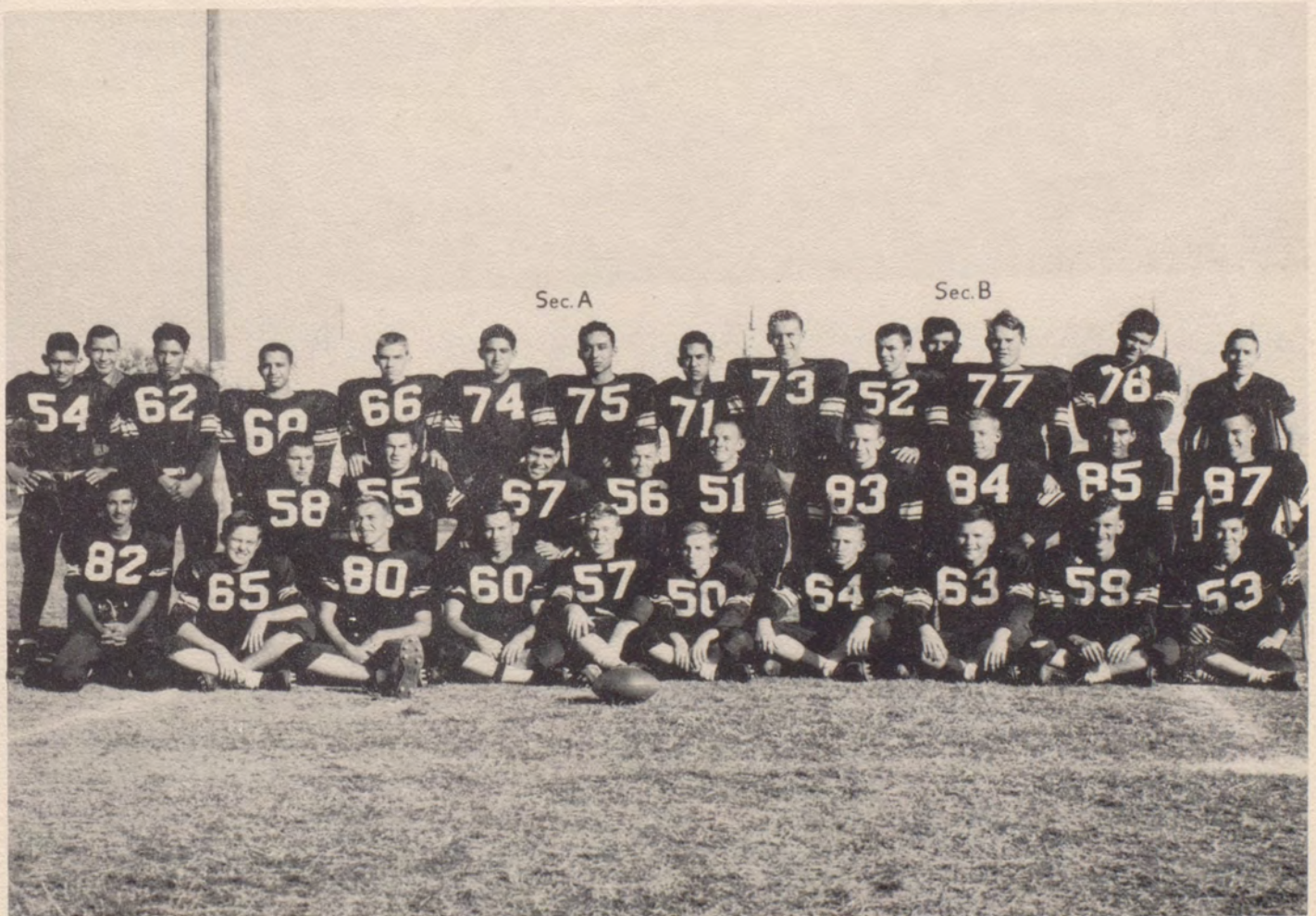
Bill Winchester



Mr. Cheaney coach of
"B"-Team football.



Members of PSJA's football, B-Team





Robert Ralston makes a touchdown
against Brownsville.

Slayton tackling a Mercedes player.

Mendiola and Hunter close in on
Edinburg.

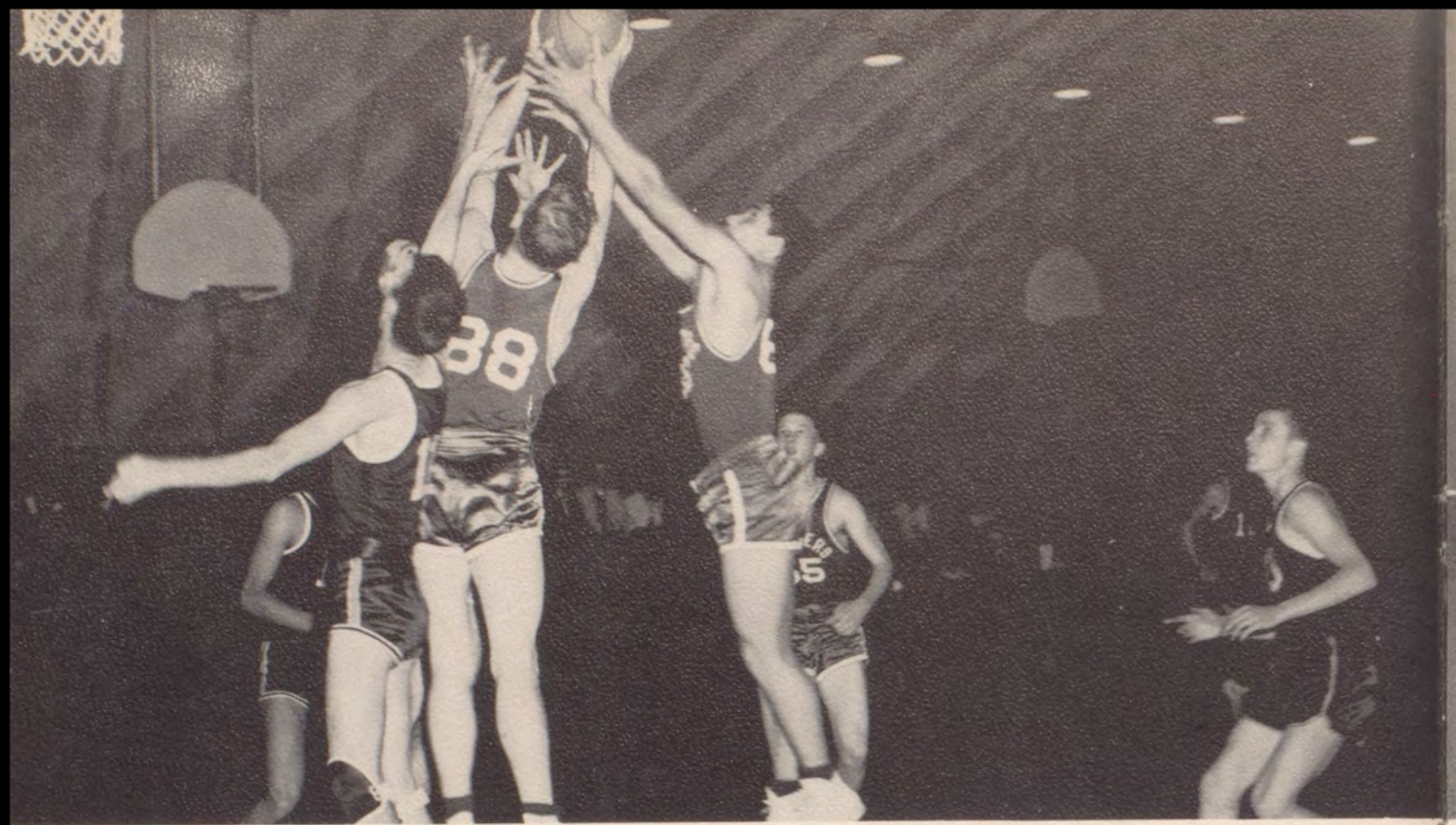




1954 Basketball Team

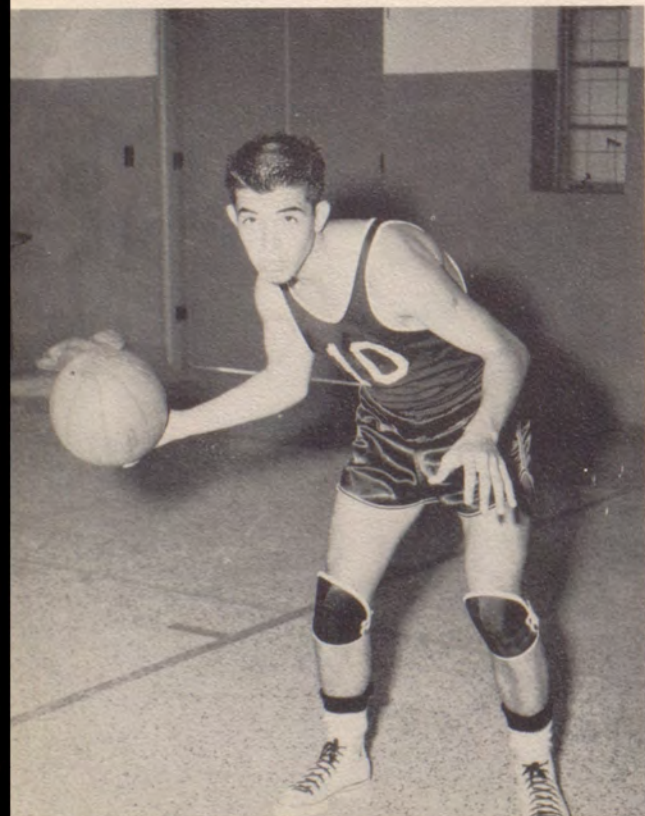
Travis Martin adding two more points for the Bears while No. 18 Hector Flores and No. 12 Robert Black look on.



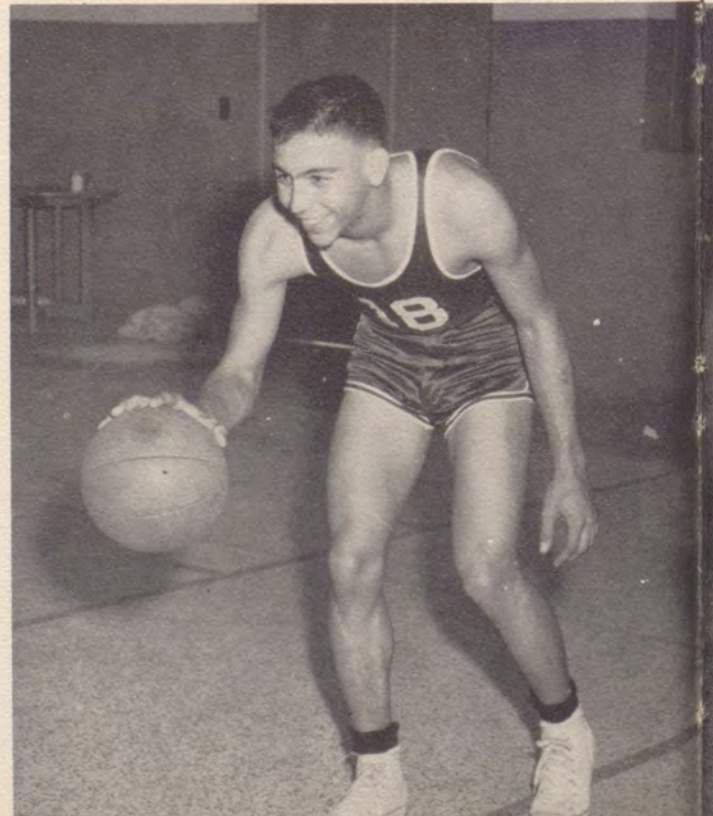


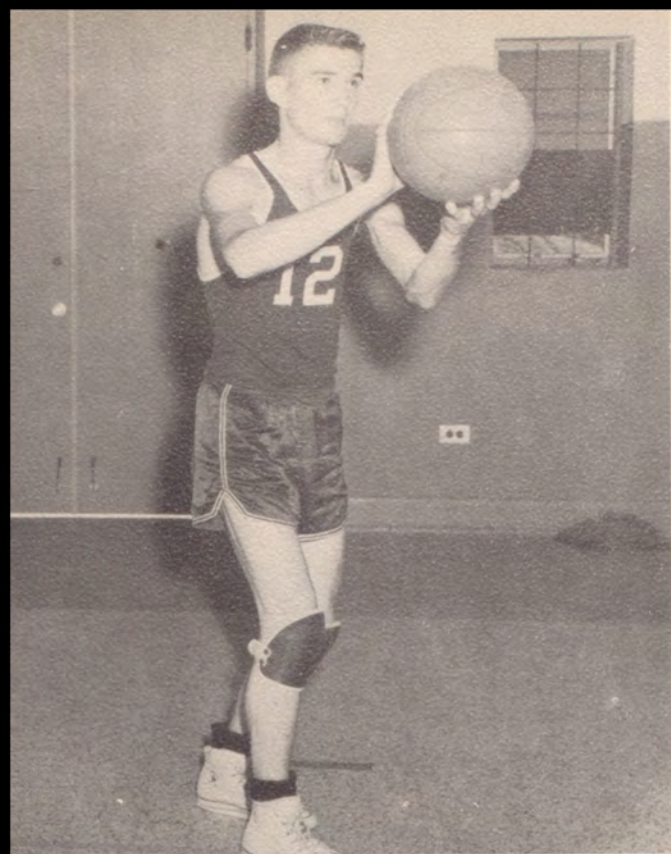
The big scramble at McAllen

RENE SANDOVAL

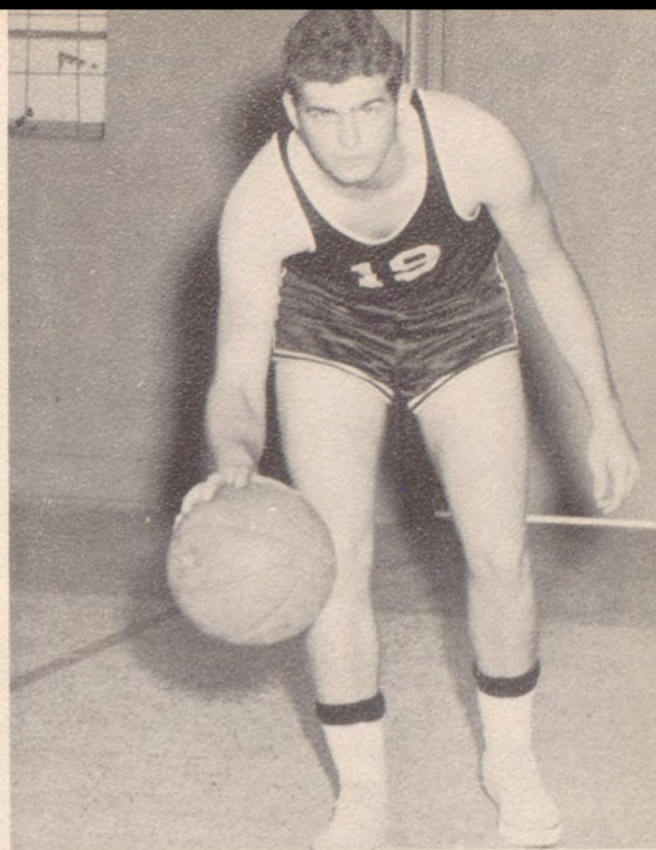


HECTOR FLORES

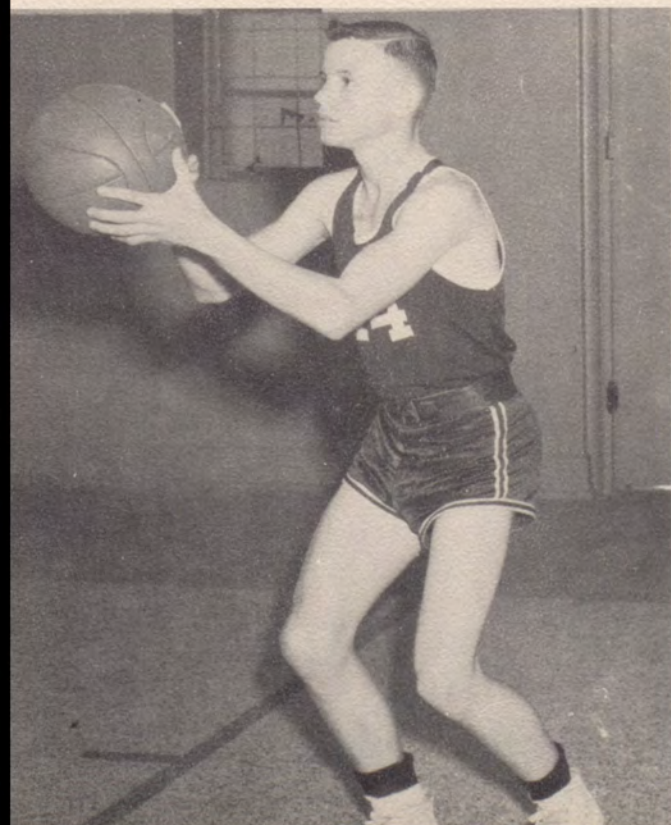




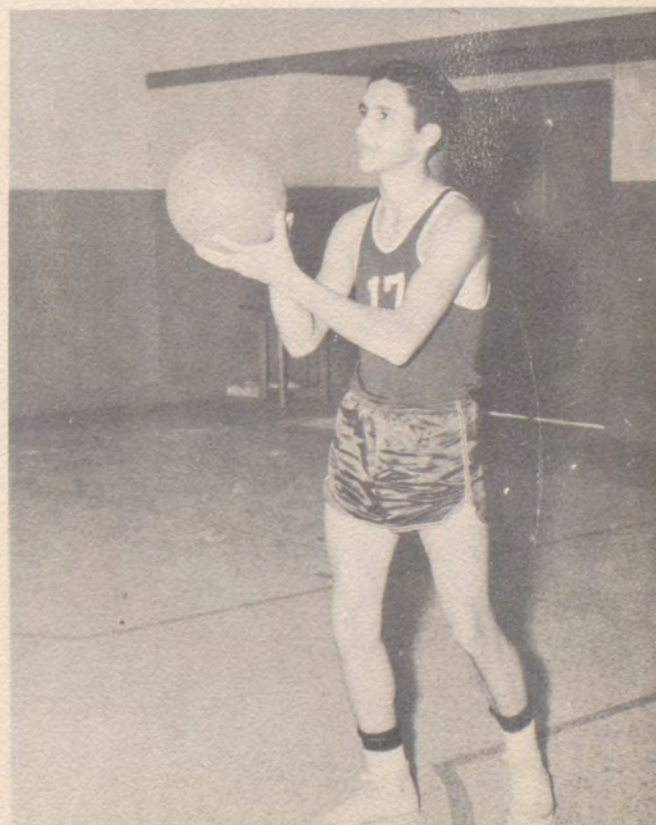
ROBERT BLACK



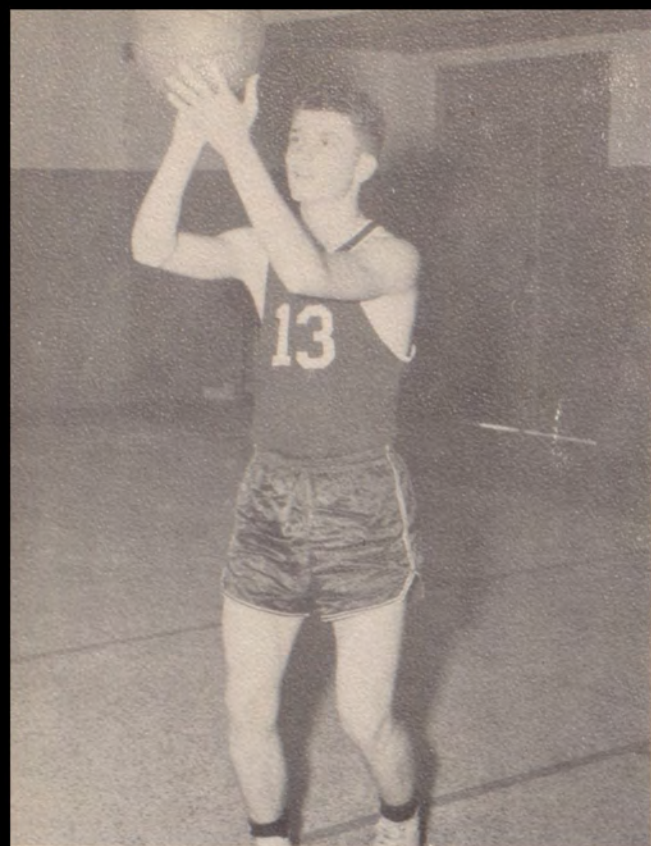
GORDON SMITH



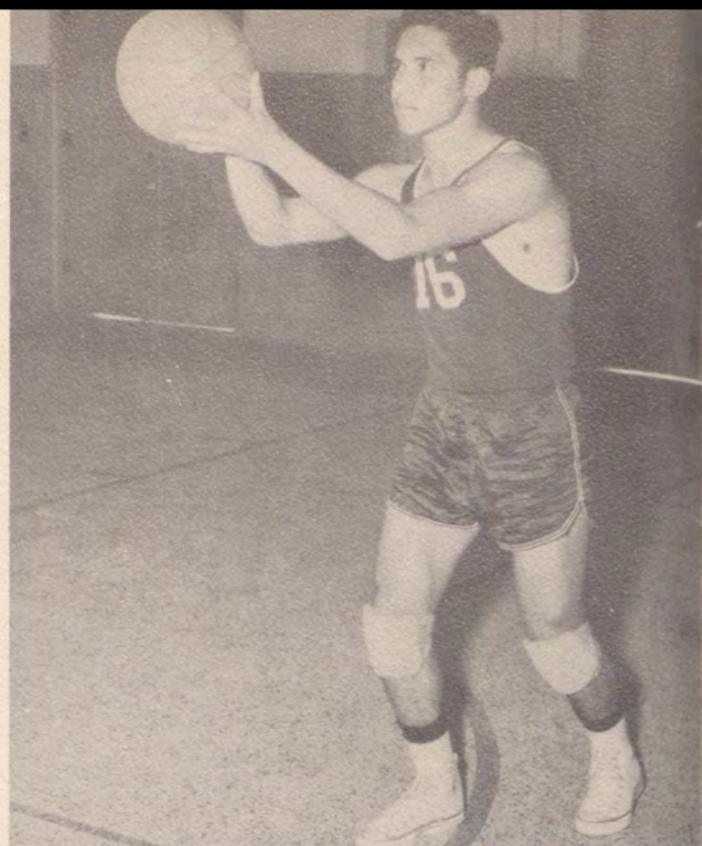
D. U. BUCKNER



TRAVIS MARTIN

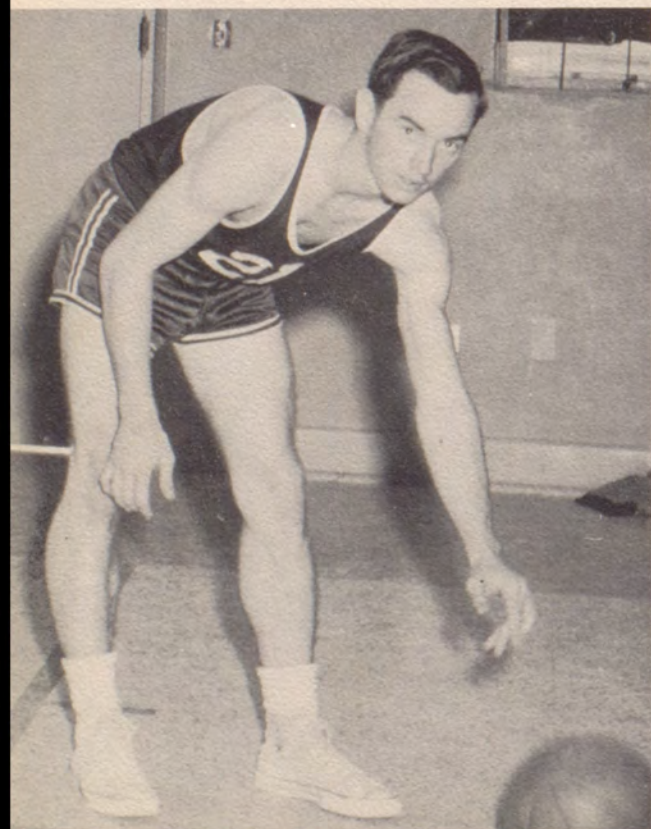


PHIL CYPHERS



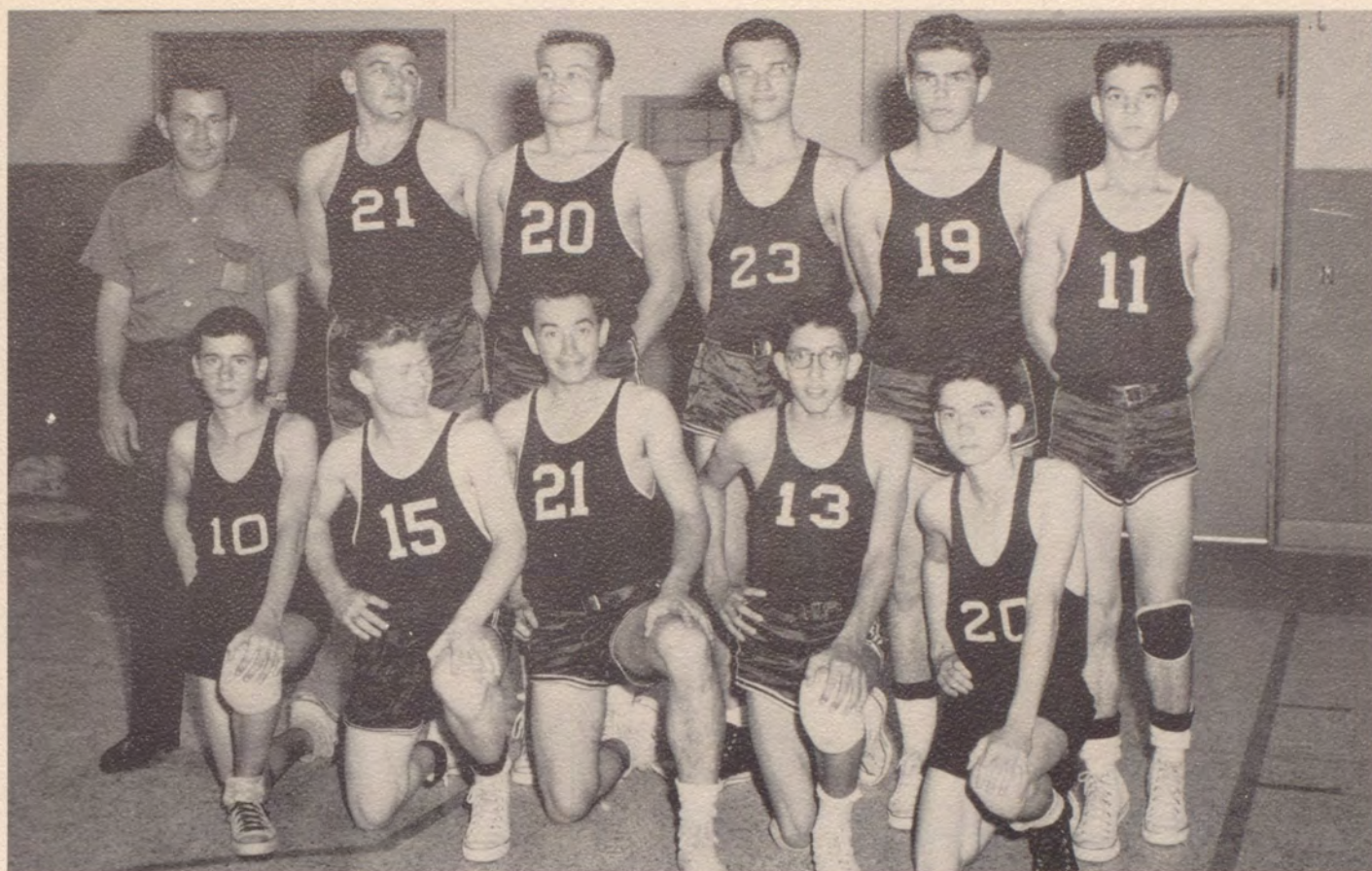
MAX CANTU

KENNETH ZINK



DOYLE CULPEPPER





1954 B-Team Basketball Team

Front row: Richard Coughran, Philip Vance, (guards) Kenneth Zink, (forward) Ross Culpepper (guard).

Back Row: Coach Cheaney, James Adams, Philip Cowgill, Royal Millen, Gordon Smith, (centers) and Doyle Culpepper (forward).

The B-Team basketball boys did not do as well this year as last season. They won four games in the 53 games while this year they won only two. Rio Grande City and Mercedes.



Coach Cheaney



Sprinters



Milers

Track . . .

Although not as strong this year as last, these boys are making a good showing against Valley competition. The upstate meets are their weakest points.

440 and 880



Hurdlers



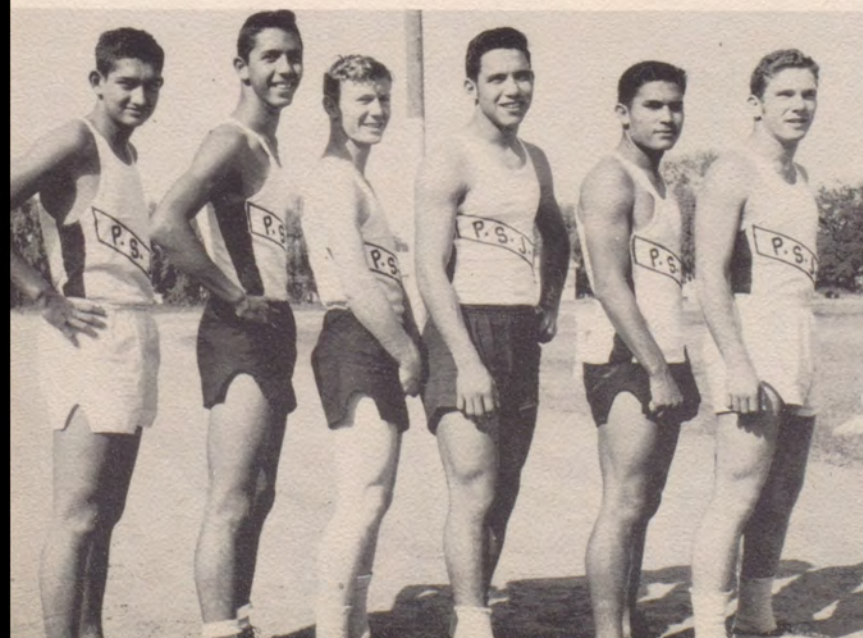


Pole Vaulters



High Jumpers

The team seems to be strongest in the field events and the relays, while the other events seem to be about the same.



Broad Jumpers



Weight Men

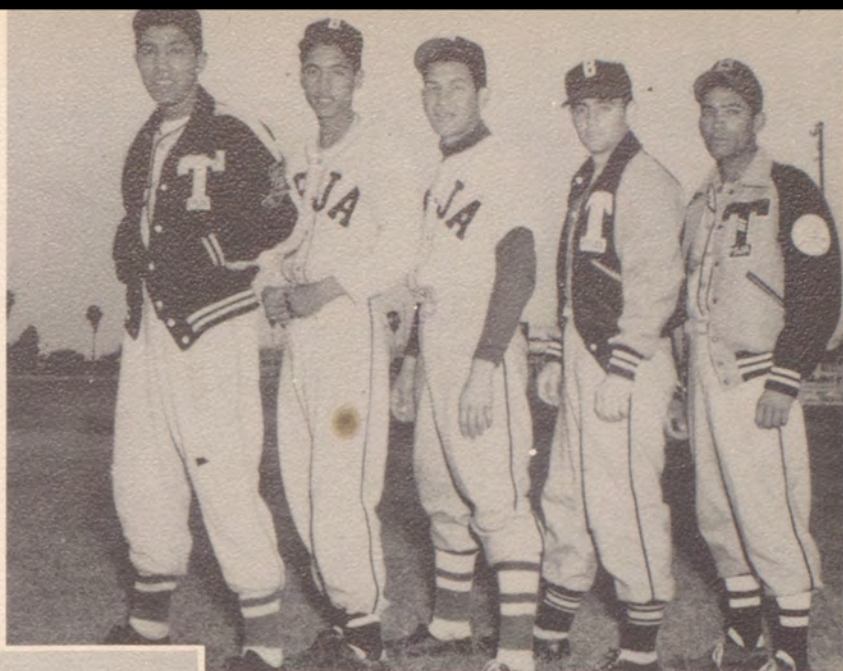


PSJA's 1954 Baseball Team



Infield

Outfield



Pitchers and Catchers



B-Team



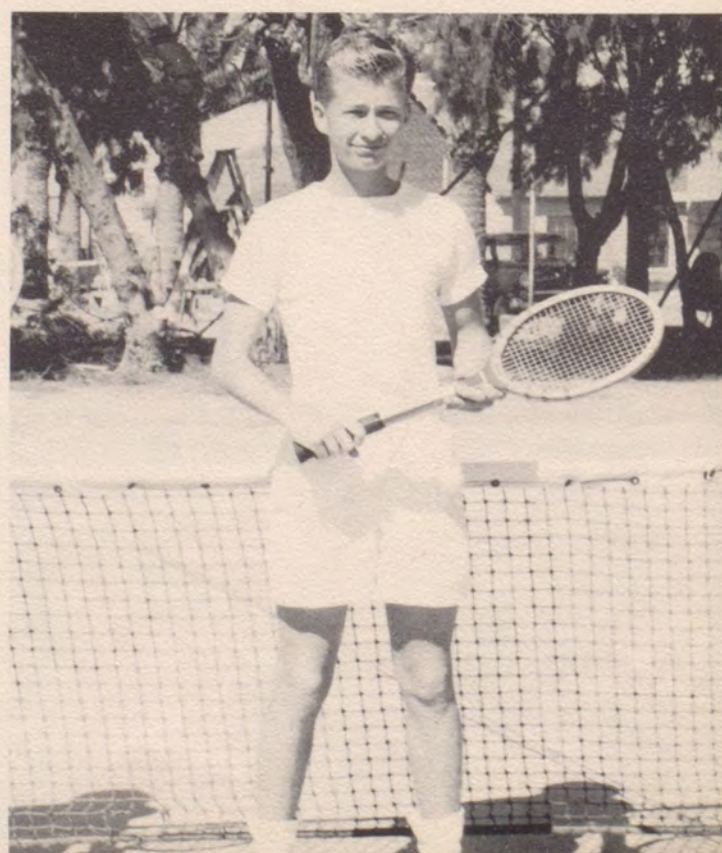
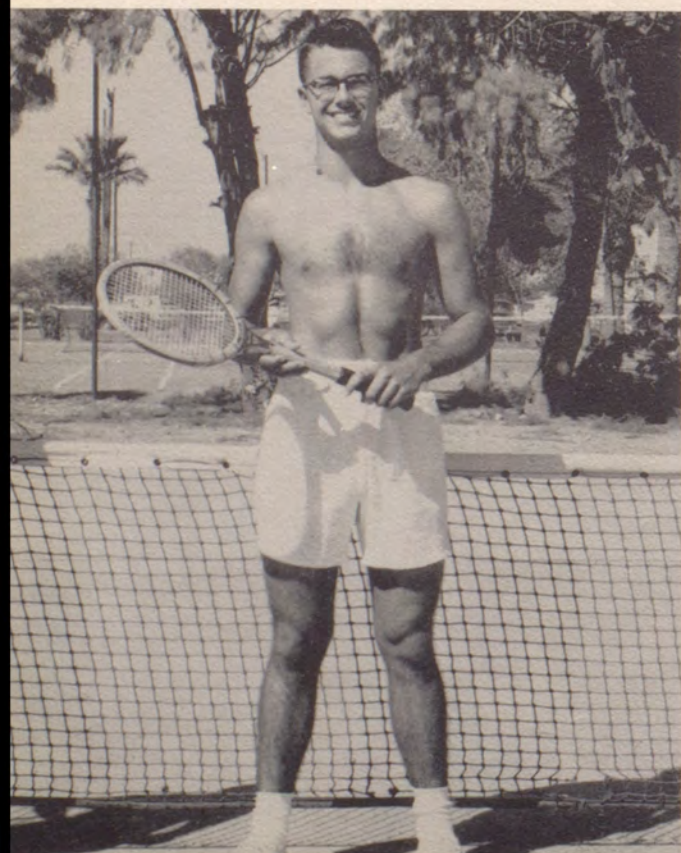


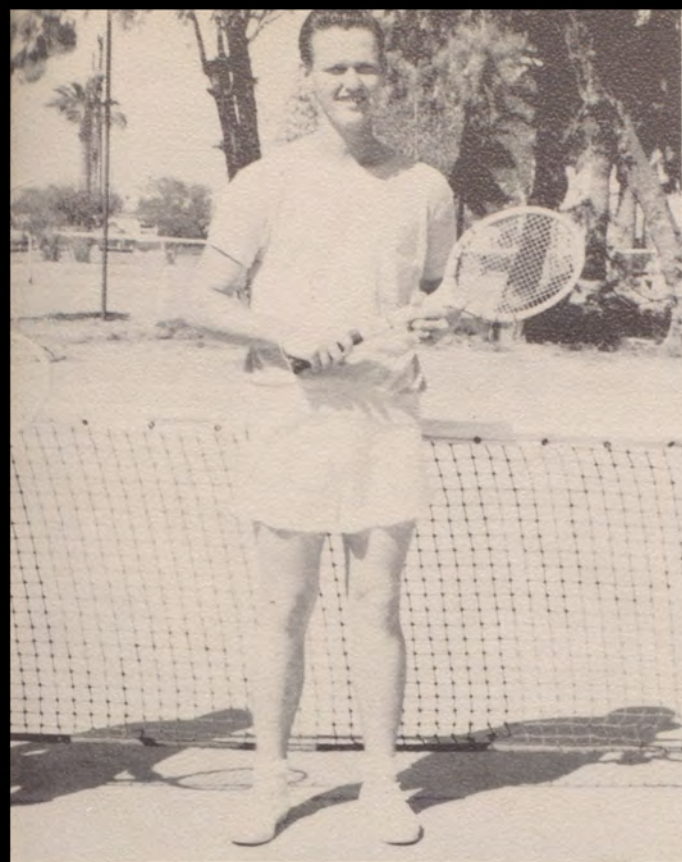
PSJA's Boys Tennis Team

Tennis . . .

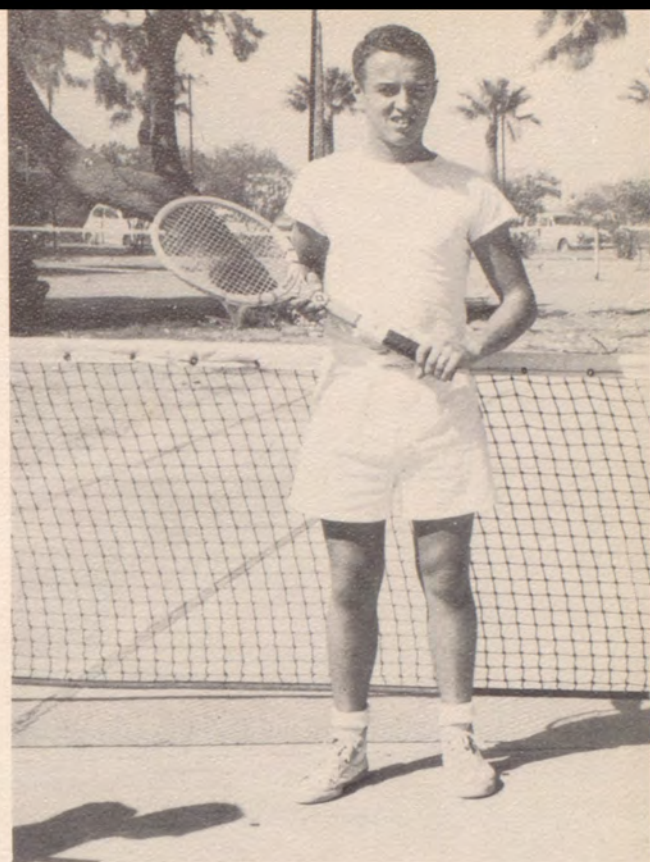
SPENCER KNAPP

BOLIVAR ANDREWS





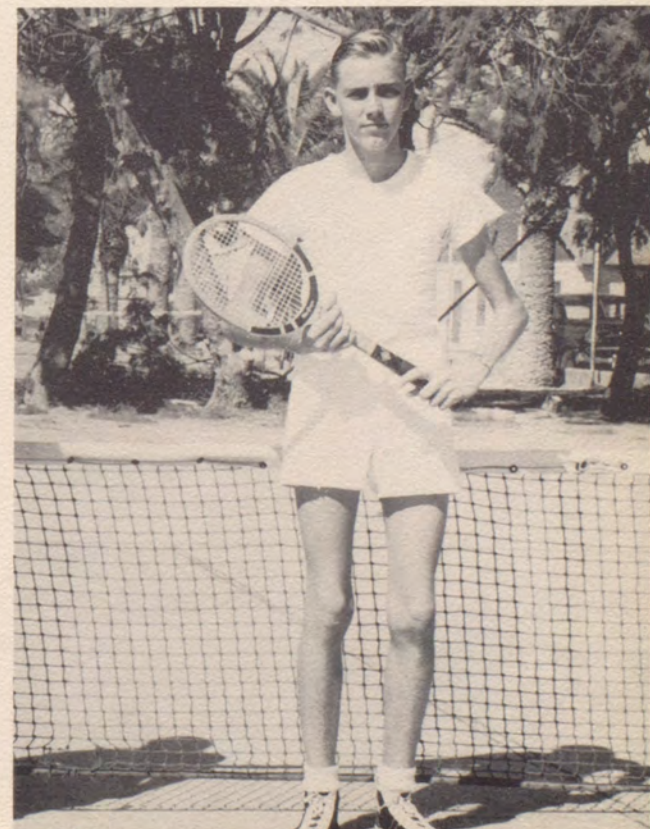
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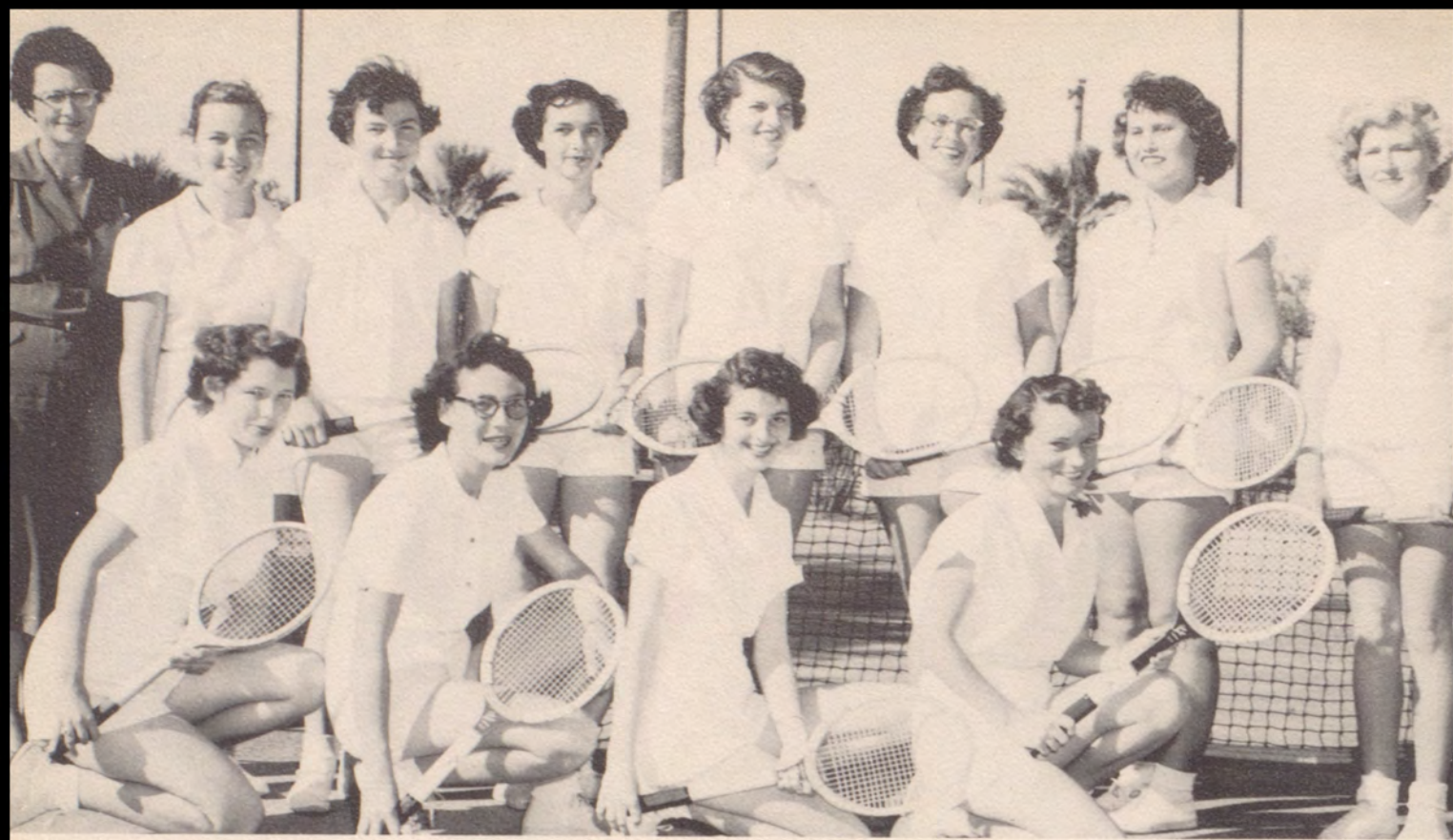
DICK CHAPIN



GALE THOMPSON

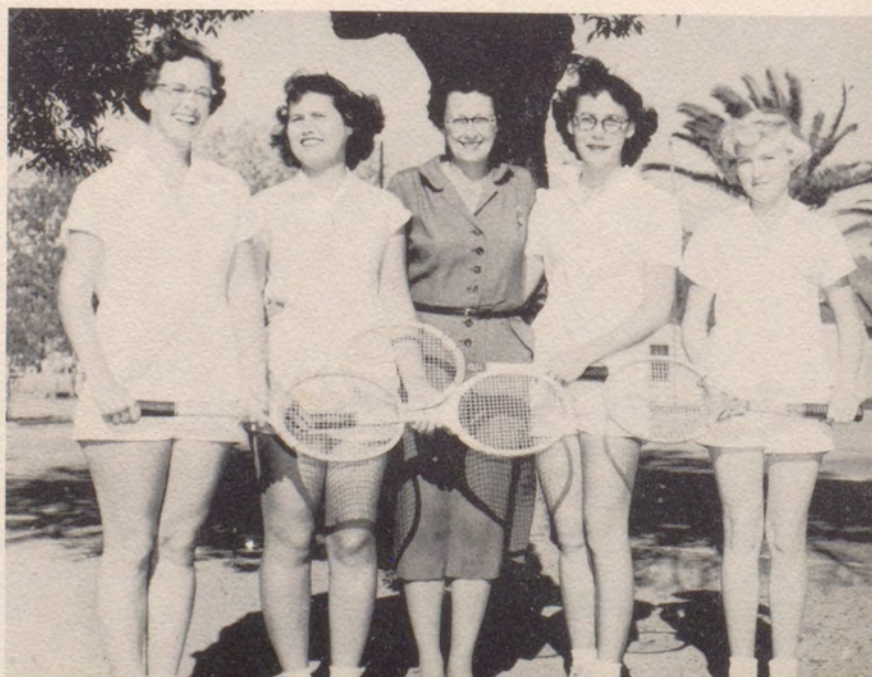


J. B. CRAFT



PSJA's Girls' Tennis Team.

Bobbie Lee Trent, Dorothy Zimmerman,
Instructor-Mrs. Wodrich, Joy Lequex and
Mona Sue Davis.





Organizations



Raul Gonzalez, Wille Cano, Keith Conquest, Ramiro Carzares, Ruben Sanchez, D. U. Buckner, Bolivar Andrews.

Loraine Stevenson, Shirley Gorman, Jonell Hodgson, Pat Hall, Ina Bolds, Ann Evans, Lila Johnson, Bonnie Barber.

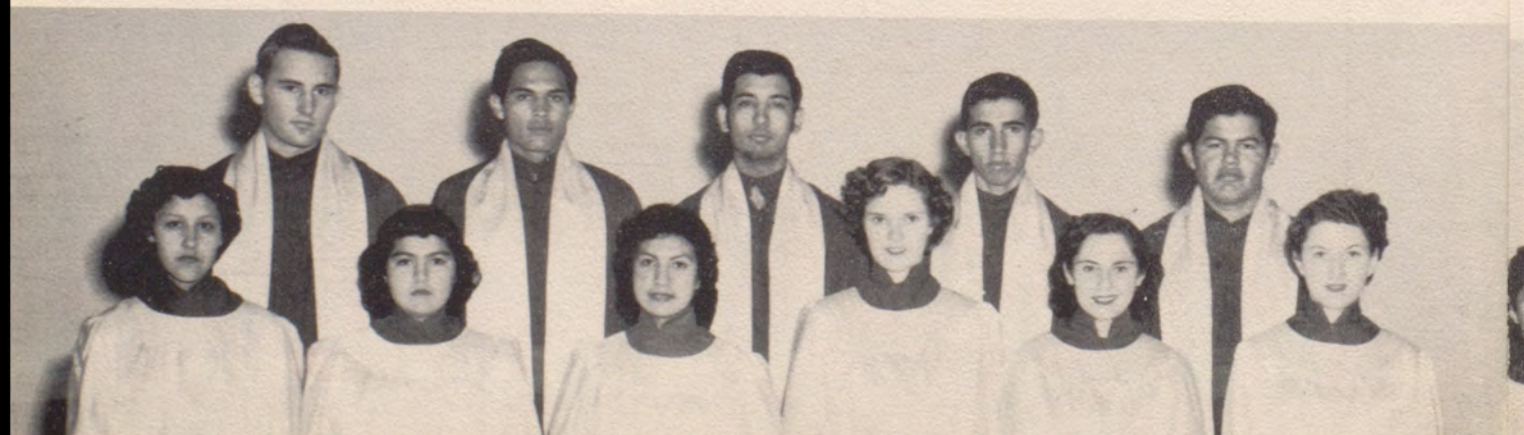
PSJA's concert choir presents choral concerts at Christmas, and Easter.



Travis Martin, president, LaMoyne Boren, Jr. Vice-President, Libby Ann Linn, Secretary

Pepper de Rolulac, Jose Alamanza, Zeferina Farias, Ruben Garza, Raul Zamirepa.

Celia Rodriguez, Elva Garza, Maria Sanchez, Marilyn Reid, Demaris Kiefer, Pat Cook.





Arthur Ruby, Ivan Hagen, James Adams, Henry Ehrhardt, Joe Ruland, Howard Glover, Philip Cowgill.

Peggy Bentley, Joy Sims, Annette Branch, Marinell Bormann, Earline Hinkle, Margaret Shaffer, Alyene Stephens, Elizabeth Millice.



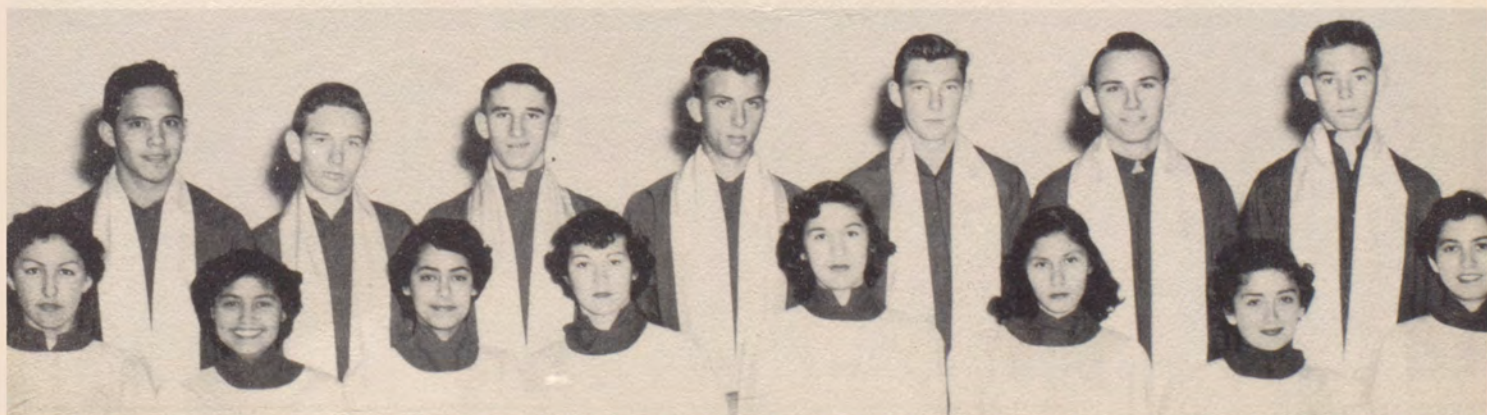
Theron Kirk, Director

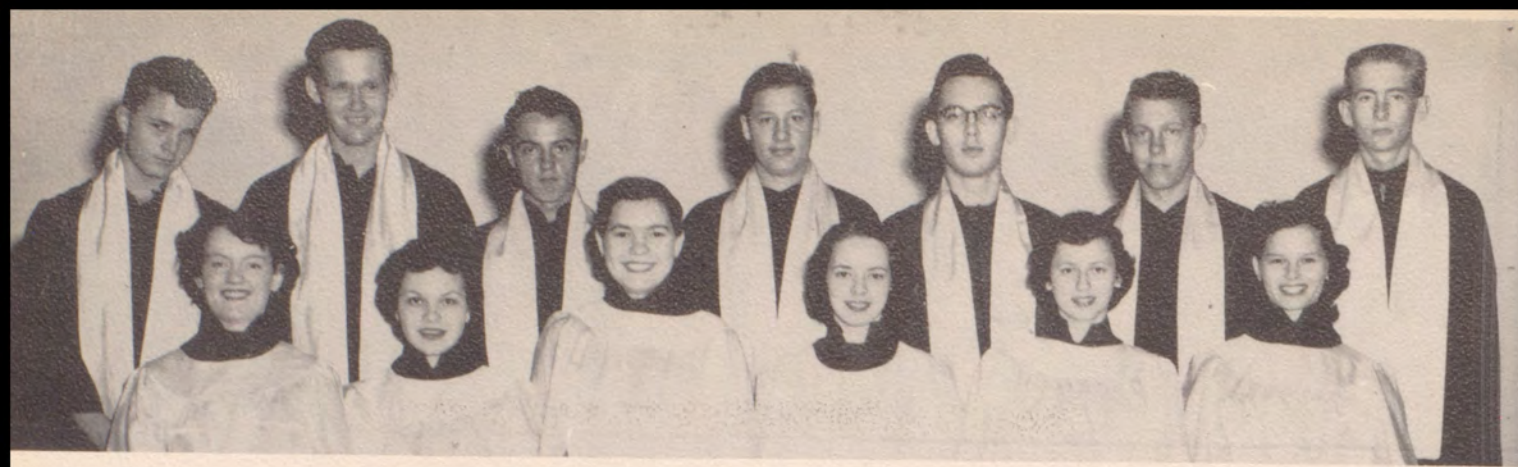


La Moyne Boren, Jr., Accompanist

Max Cantu, Jimmy Henslee, Paul Freeman, Dayton Wodrich, Larry Haldiman, Don Inge, Charles Brunt.

Lydia Salinas, Ernestina Martinez, Martha Gonzalez, Ninfa Suarez, Blanca Sanchez, Irma Garza, Cotilda Guerra, Maria Vasquez..





Phil Cyphers, E. H. Bresette, Dick Chapin, James Sudbury, John Ward, Phil Anderson, and Kenneth Chestnut.

Norma Lee Beavers, Libby Linn, Patti Bethel, Rogene Kaderli, Margaret Hirsh, La Juana Barnes.



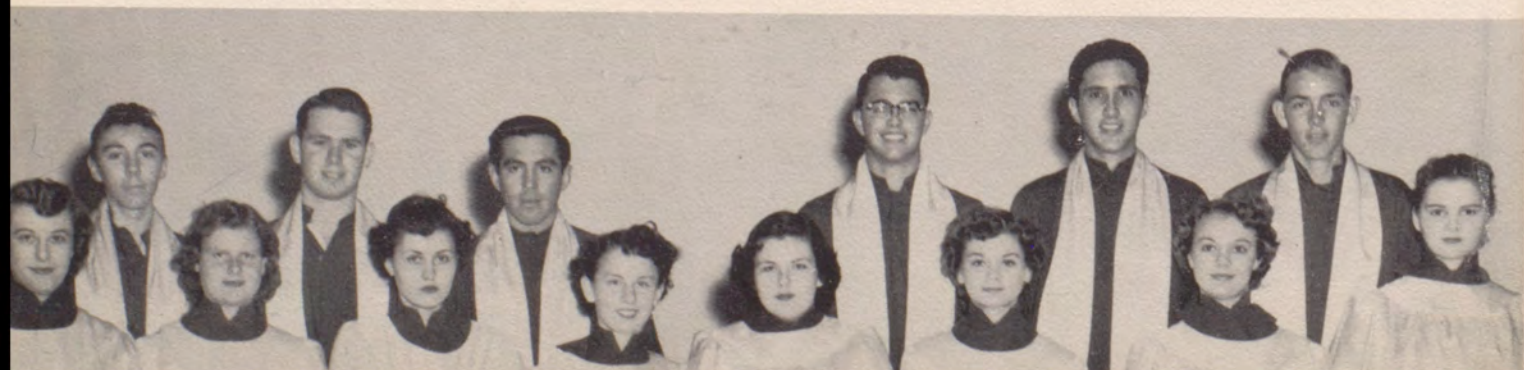
Oratorio choir for St. John's Passion.



Voices for Stabat Mater.

Bob Wilson, LaMoyne Boren, Jr., Ruben Ayala, Spencer Knapp, Travis Martin, and J. B. Craft.

Mary Ellen Leigh, Joann Payton, Beverly Feese, Marianna Beavers, Ann Veltman, Joy Whitlock, Jane Moseley, and Sandra Kimbriel.





PSJA High School Bearettes is a marching unit made up of sixty-six girls. They are led and instructed by Mrs. Jeanette Cain. They participate in the half time ceremonies of the football games and in parades.

Nita Hines, Drum Major





Bearette twirlers: Jane Moseley, head twirler, Suzanne Stoudt, Jonell Hodgson, and Pat Hall.

Bearette Council





BAND FRONT: Libby Ann Linn, Charlene Cyphers, Lila Johnson, Carolyn Hall, and Dorothy Zimmerman.

The Pharr-San Juan-Alamo Senior Band marched in parades and in the half-time performances at football games. They also gave their annual spring concert in the high school auditorium.

After saving their money for seven years, the band was able, with the help of the band boosters club, to save enough money to buy new uniforms, complete with plumed hats. The uniforms are maroon and gray, cadet style, with white side sashes. The maroon shield in front is an excellent background for the various individual awards won.



Drum Major Lila Johnson
leads the band.

P. S. J. A. HIGH SCHOOL BAND





PSJA's Swing Band is composed of members of the regular High School Band to play for entertainment.



Band Director Walter Whitlow, and assistant director David Gamboa.



Cheerleaders Spencer Knapp, Ruben Ayala, Earline Hinkle, Maria Vasquez, and Shirley Gorman.

Cheerleaders

Miss Emma Martinez, Sponsor

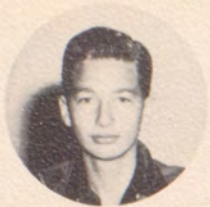


Exciting pep rallies and spirited cheering sections at the games were sparked by the cheerleaders. The skits and displays provided every game day did much to boost the good sportsmanship and team support on the part of the whole student body.

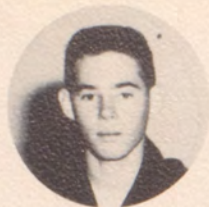


OFFICERS OF THE STUDENT COUNCIL: Libby Linn, corresponding secretary; Paul Freeman, president; Jane Moseley, recording secretary; Spencer Knapp, president; and Bill Downs, vice-president.

Officers of the student council are elected by the student body in a school-wide election. These are the most important of all school offices. With the high honor goes the responsibility of seeing that teachers and students each understand the point of view of the other and that PSJA is favorably represented at all times.



Bolivar Andrews



Charles Brunt



Enriqueta Canche



Max Cantu



Alba Christoffel



Joe Coughran



David Dozier



Bill Downs



Paul Freeman



James Garrison



Clotilde Guerra



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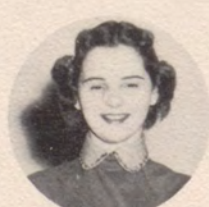
Carolyn Hall



Pat Hall



Don Inge



Sandra Kimbriel



Spencer Knapp



Libby Linn



Lyle Linn



Mercedes Lozano



Travis Marton



Jane Moseley



Hector Palacios



Barbara Pennington



Robert Salinas



Marja Sanchez



Ruben Sanchez



Rene Sandoval



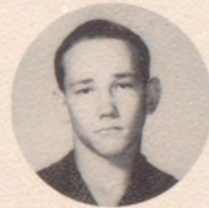
Margarett Shaffer



Gordon Smith



Yolanda Solis



Dick Sorenson



Bobby Trent



Frank Vecchio

The Student Council is the student governing body of the school consisting of one member from each home room.

This organization works for better understanding between the faculty and student body of our school.



Dorothy Zimmerman



The Future Farmers of America consists of all boys taking Vocational Agriculture. The purpose of this club is to prepare these young men to be tomorrow's farmers and it also teaches them leadership, and sportsmanship.

F. F. A.



Officers of the FFA are Jimmy Slayton, Johnny Marr, Phil Anderson, James Garrison, Gerald Euler, and Max Mendiola.



The Y-Teens consist of 95 girls and are sponsored by Miss Lorene Hyde. Even though they are organized for services to our community they still have coke parties, dances and fun along with the meetings in which are presented various forms of singing, devotionals, and business matters.

Y-Teens

Y-Teen officers are Nelda Baker, freshman vice-president; Margaret Shaffer, president; Pat Hall, secretary; Marvene Anderson, junior Vice-president; Marcia Miller, sophomore vice-president; Earline Hinkle, treasurer, and Jonell Hodgson, senior vice-president.





Senior F. H. A.

Officers for the Senior F. H. A. are Conrada Gomez, president; Blanca Sanchez, reporter; Barbara Billmeyer, vice-pres.; Freda Bentley, song leader; Mozelle Garcia, treasurer; Rosa Pruneda, secretary; and Christina Gonzales, song leader.



Members of the Senior F. H. A. Chapter are learning to be better homemakers for tomorrow. These girls are mastering the final steps in advanced cooking and sewing. Various service projects for the school are performed during the year. Girls who complete the homemaking course receive sweaters.



Some of the events that the Junior F.H.A. have done this year were to bake cookies for their mothers and collected can goods for needy families during Christmas. They also sold Christmas cards and tamales to raise money for their club.

Junior F. H. A.

Junior F.H.A. officers talk over all their good events which have happened this year. They are Helen Francis Kelley - President, Freda Wilson-Secretary, Barbara Pennington-Historian and Reporter, Janice Egly-Vice-President.



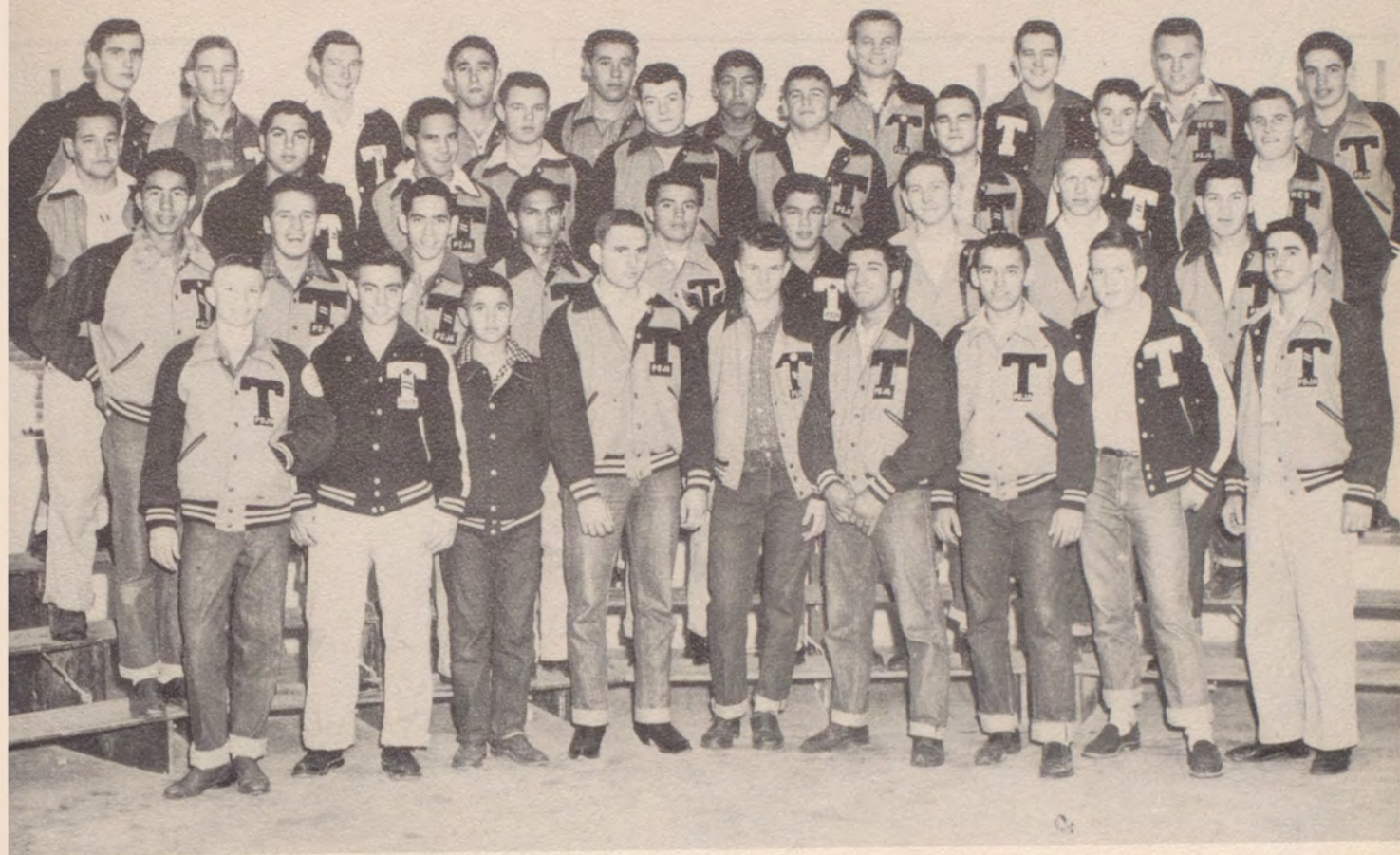


The Future Teachers of America's main purpose is to further inform the students interested in the teaching profession. Among their pleasures is the club's annual trip to Denton for a convention at TSCW.

Future Teachers



Officers: President, La Moyne Boren, Vice-President, Alyene Stevenson, Libr., Leonel Salinas, Secretary, Dorothy Bagwell, Treasurer, Freda Bentley, Reporter, Jean Sumrall.



The T-Club is an organization for all the boys who have lettered in any sports during their years in P. S. J. A. They are awarded either sweaters or jackets with T's on them for their achievements.

T-Club



Officers for the T-Club are: Noe Rodriguez, Sergeant at Arms, Max Cantu, Vice President, John Grote, Secretary, Billy Havens, President.



Slide Rule Club with director
Edith Carman.

Mathematics Clubs

Number Sense Club

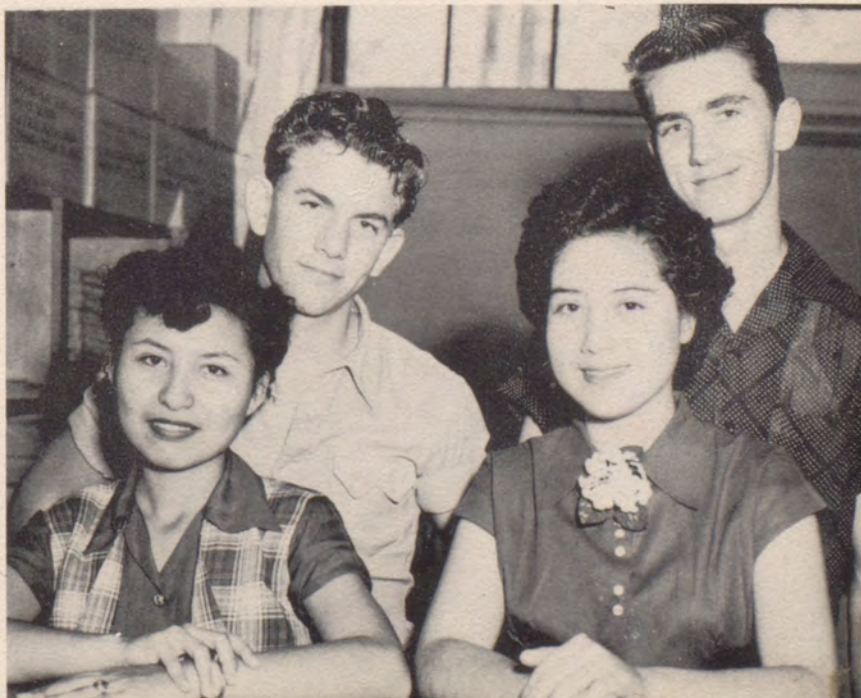




Hard-working students of PSJA are the members of the Distributive Education Club. Through this program those students desiring business experience may receive special training while holding down a part-time job.

D. E. Club

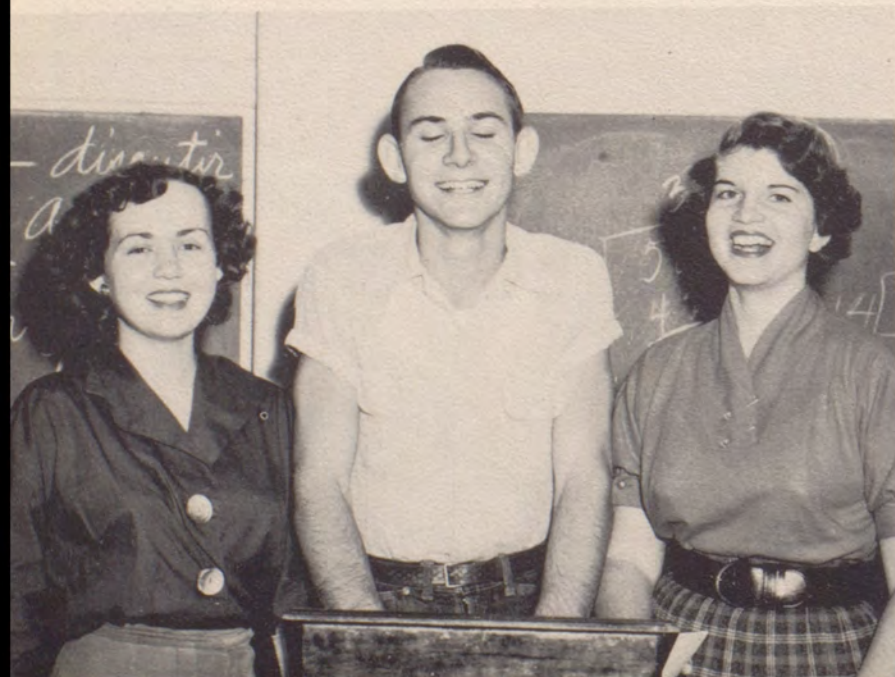
Officers of the D. E. Club are Oralia Ramirez, president; Randall Chappell, vice-pres.; Angelita Salinas, secretary-treasurer; Claude Clifton, reporter.



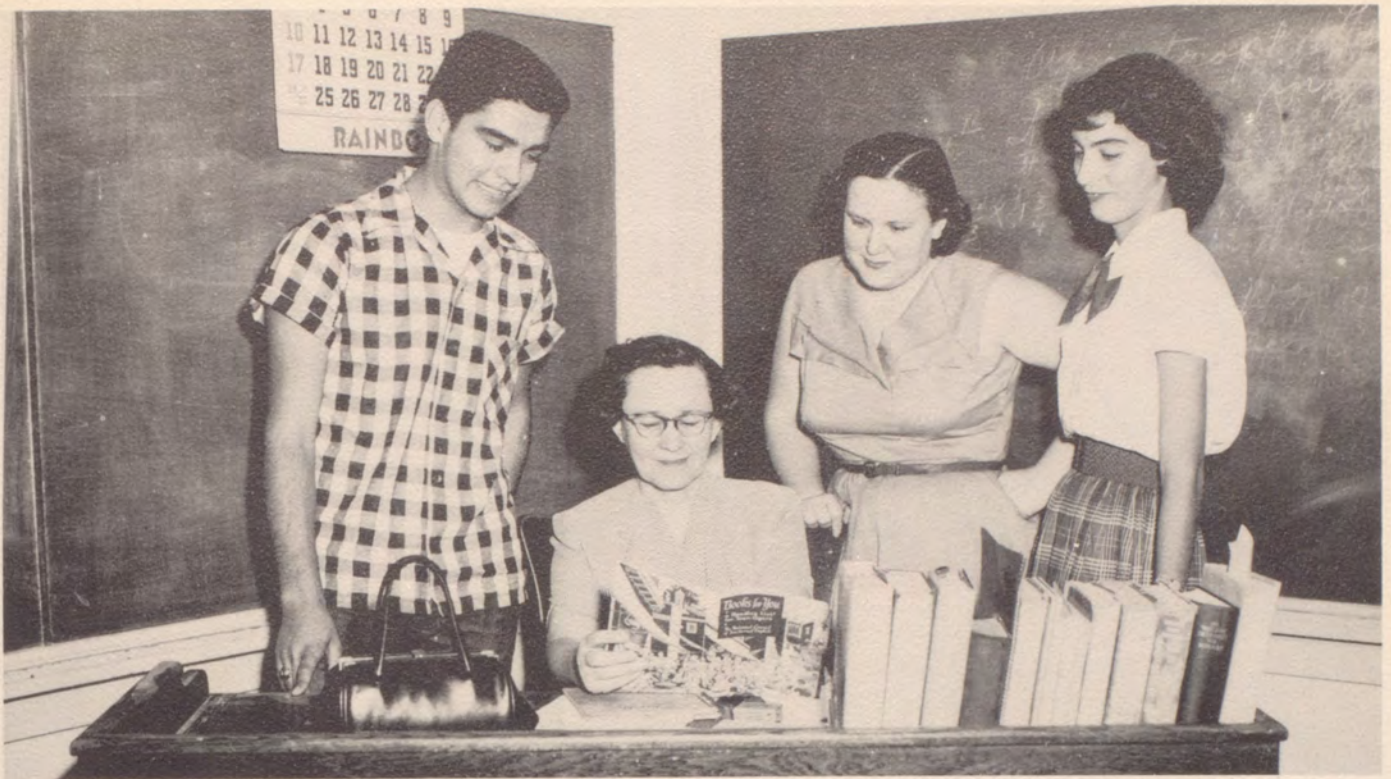


The debate club, sponsored by Gordon Lee, participates in debate tournaments throughout Texas.

Question for debate in 1954 was: Resolved: That the president of the United States should be elected by a direct vote of the people.



Officers of the debate club are Earline Hinkle, president; Don Inge, vice-president; Margaret Shaffer, secretary-treasurer.



The Bears Clause
Heron Ramirez, Miss Carmen, Dorothy Bagwell, and Joy Sims.

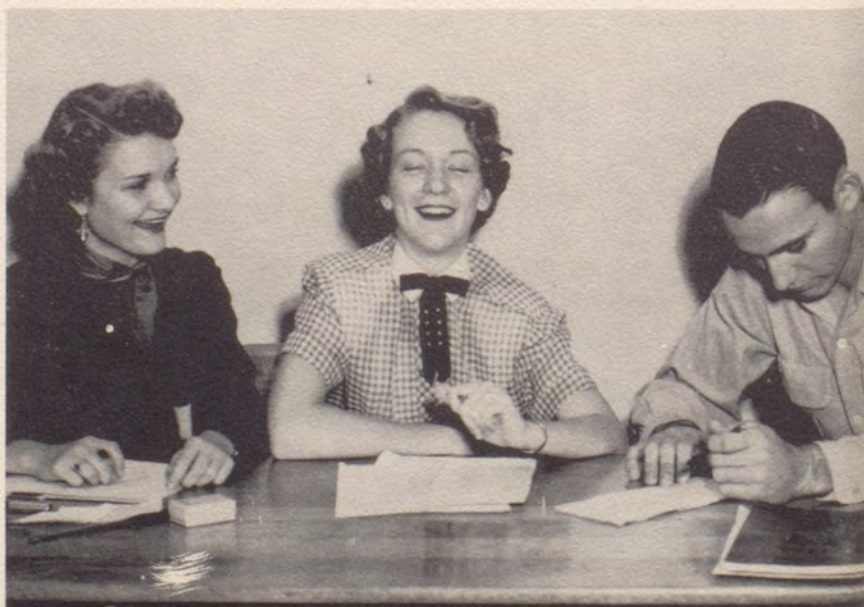
These students, winners in a national essay contest, had their winning essays included in the book entitled *Anthology of High School Essays*.





The '54 Bear's Tale Staff

The Bear's Tale staff edits the school paper and recently it received high honors in state competition at Denton, Texas. Congratulations!



The Wheels!

Business manager, Marinell Bormann,
Editor, Jonell Hodgson and Assistant
Editor, Don Inge.



Editor Travis Martin,
Sponsor Miss Hyde.

Bear Memories

Norma Lee Beavers
Business Mgr.



Bill Helmer
Photographer



E. H. Bresette
Typist

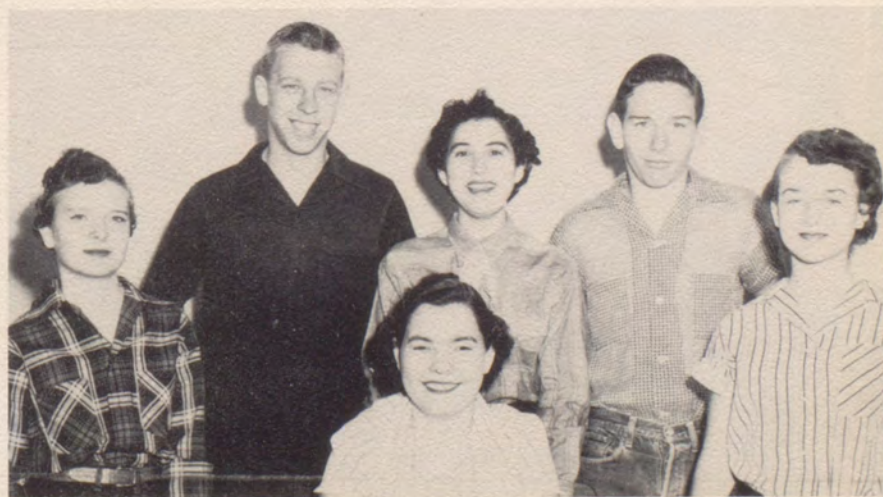


Joe Coughran
Assistant Editor



Marvene Anderson
Assistant Business
Mgr.

Class Representatives





Favorites

An explanation of what a favorite is seems unneeded. But what about five, ten, or maybe fifteen years from now? In case your memory becomes clouded during our "journey far apart", we hope you'll refer back to this page to clear up just how that favorite was elected and what each represents.

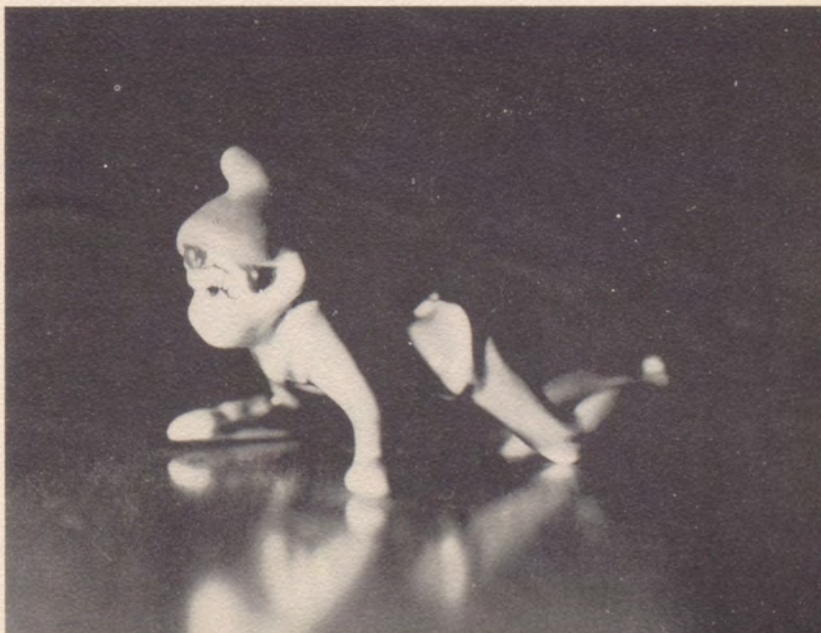
Who's Who is picked from the Senior Class by the vote of the faculty. Teachers base their votes on scholarship, leadership, followship, and citizenship. This year there were ten members.

Belle and Beau are the favorite girl and boy of the entire student body. Chosen by a school-wide election from ten nominees chosen from the Seniors by the Juniors, they are presented at the annual formal Belle-and-Beau Dance.

Class Favorites are also picked by popular vote, each class member voting for his favorite, with no nominees.

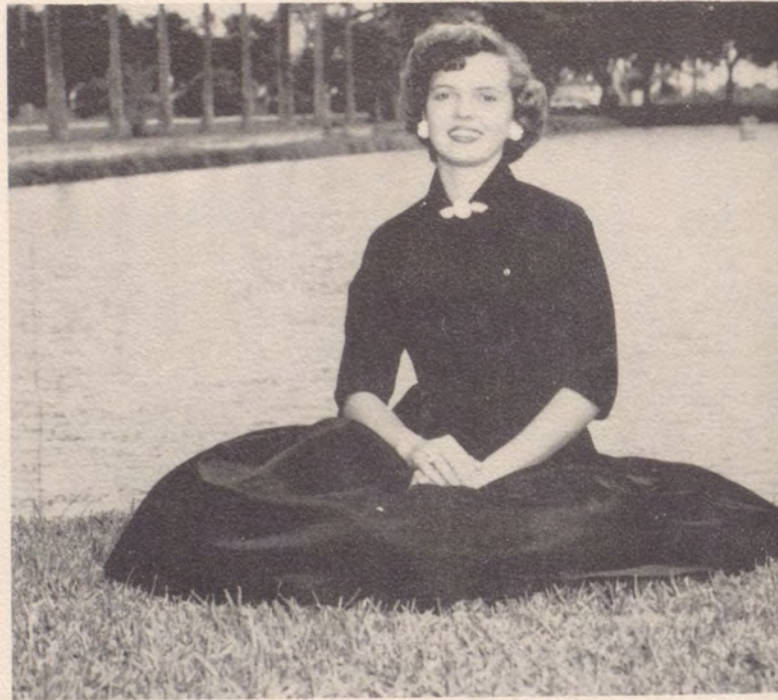
Homecoming Queen is chosen in a school-wide election from a list of twelve Senior girls, nominated by the Senior Class.

Various favorites are chosen by individual organizations to represent their groups. These include Miss Bearette, Bearette Sweetheart, Honey Bear, Y-Teen of the Year, Y-Teen Sweetheart, F. F. A. Sweethearts, Band Sweetheart, and D. E. Sweetheart.



Who's Who

JONELL HODGSON



LILA JOHNSON

LA MOYNE BOREN JR

SPENCER KNAPP



RAMIRO SAENZ

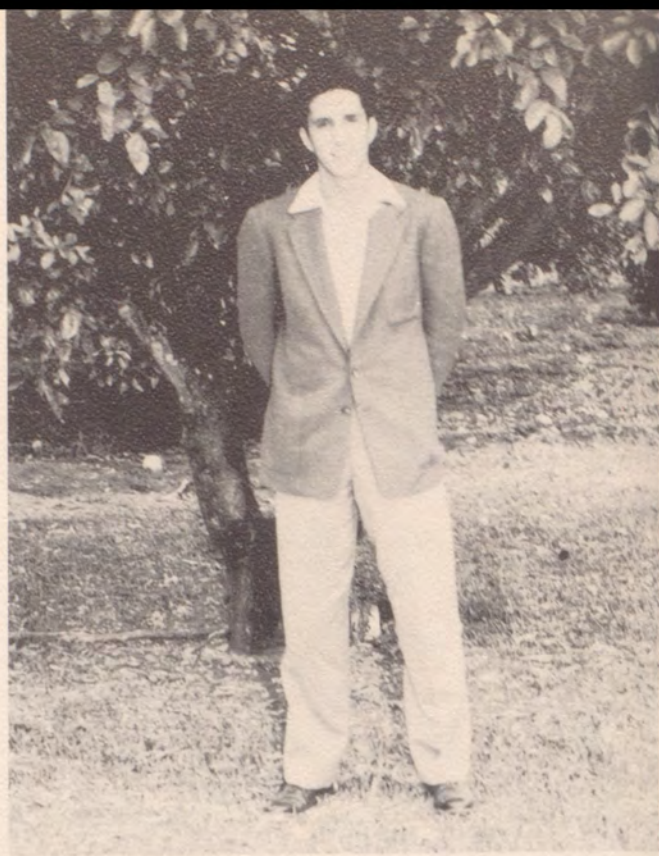


EARLINE HINKLE





MARGARET SHAFFER

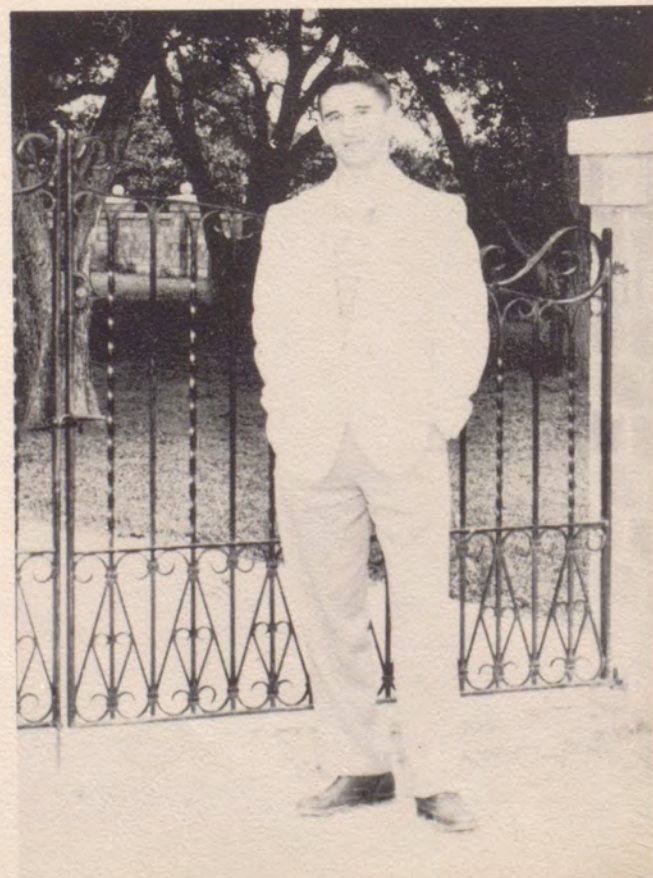


TRAVIS MARTIN

DICK SORENSEN

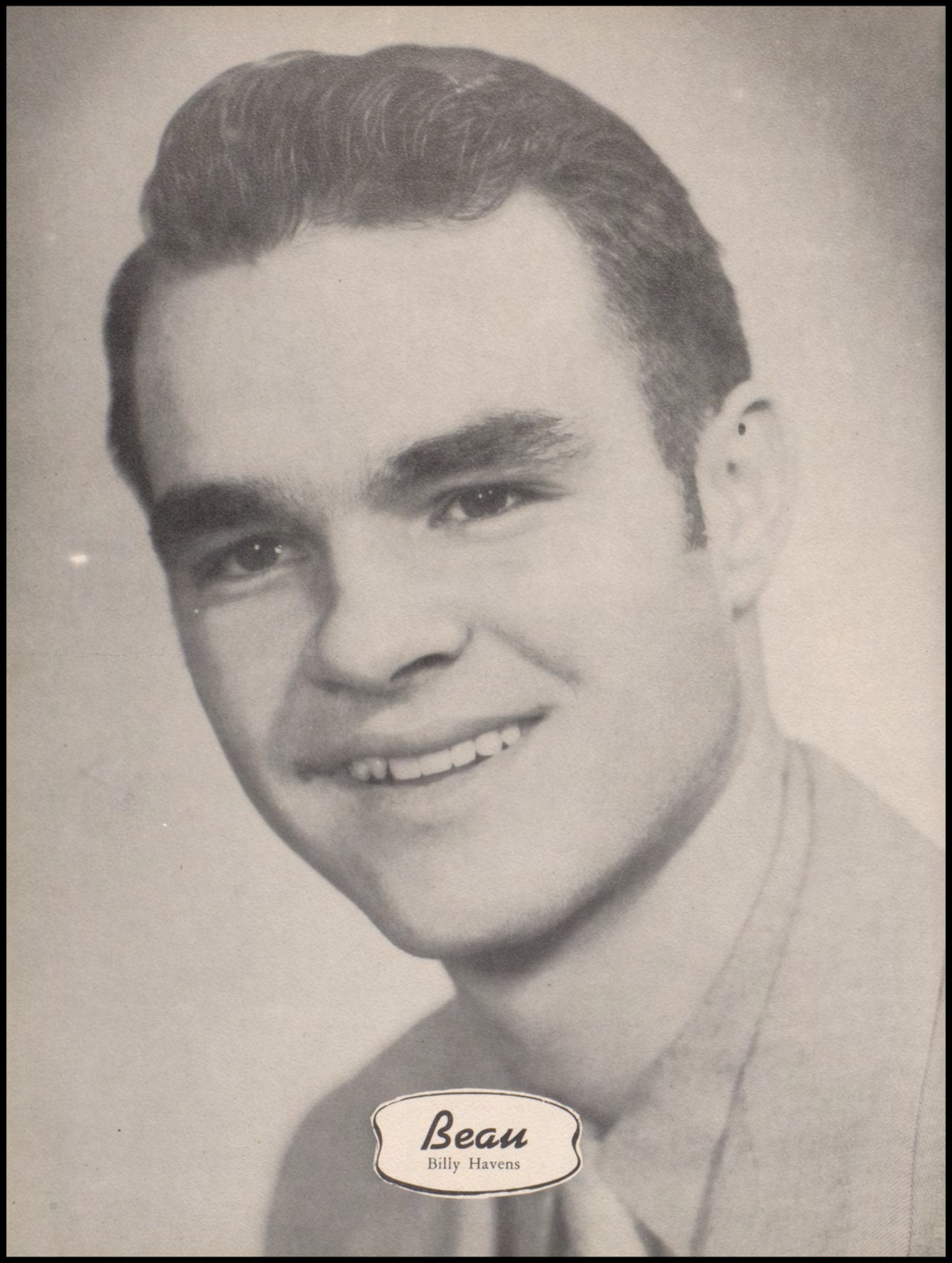


PAUL FREEMAN





Belle
Coltilde Guerra



Bean
Billy Havens



Senior Favorites

Libby Ann Linn and Zeferina Farias

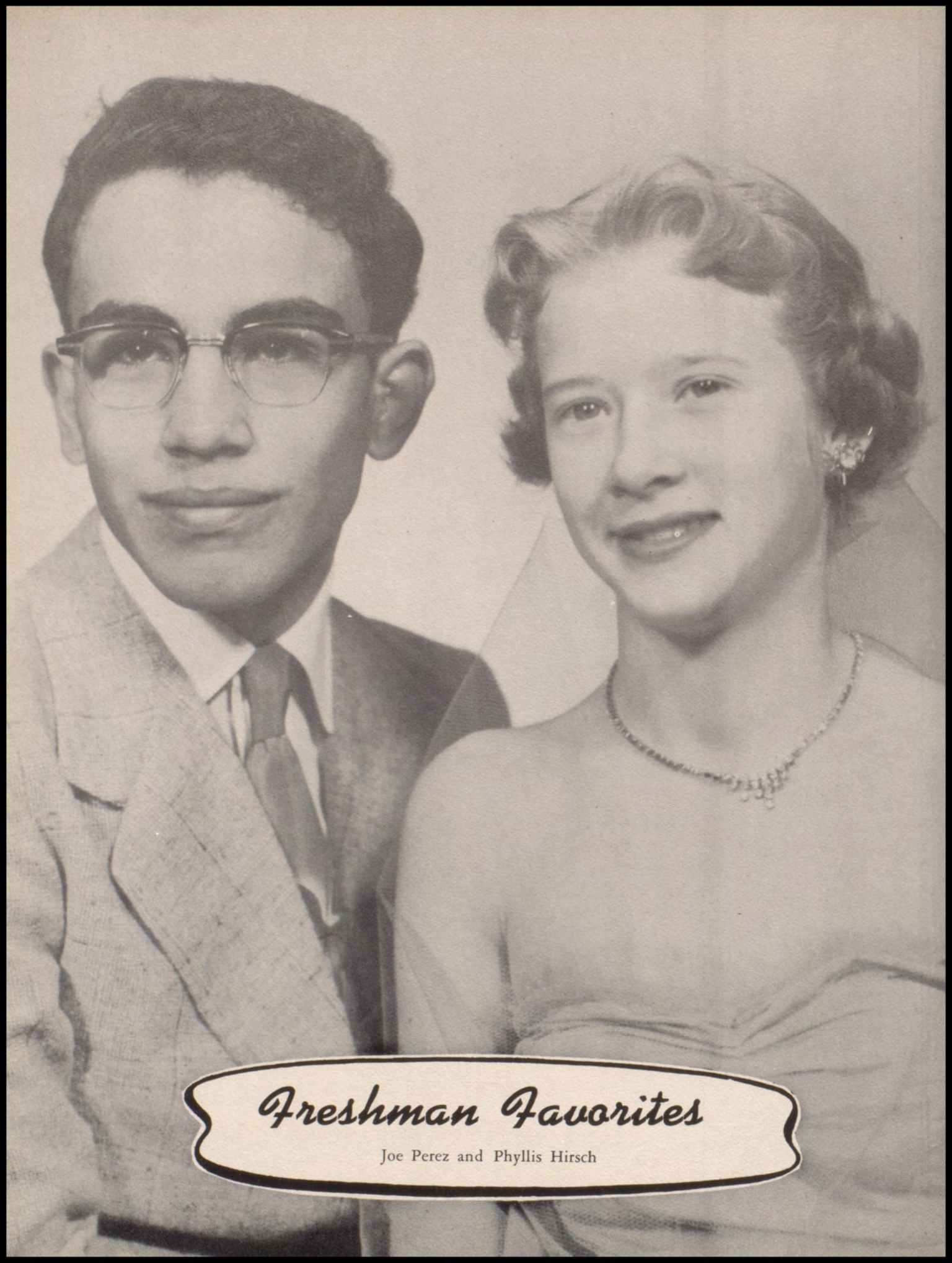


Junior Favorites
Rosa Pruneda and Philip Vance



Sophomore Favorites

David Dozier and Ernestina Egly



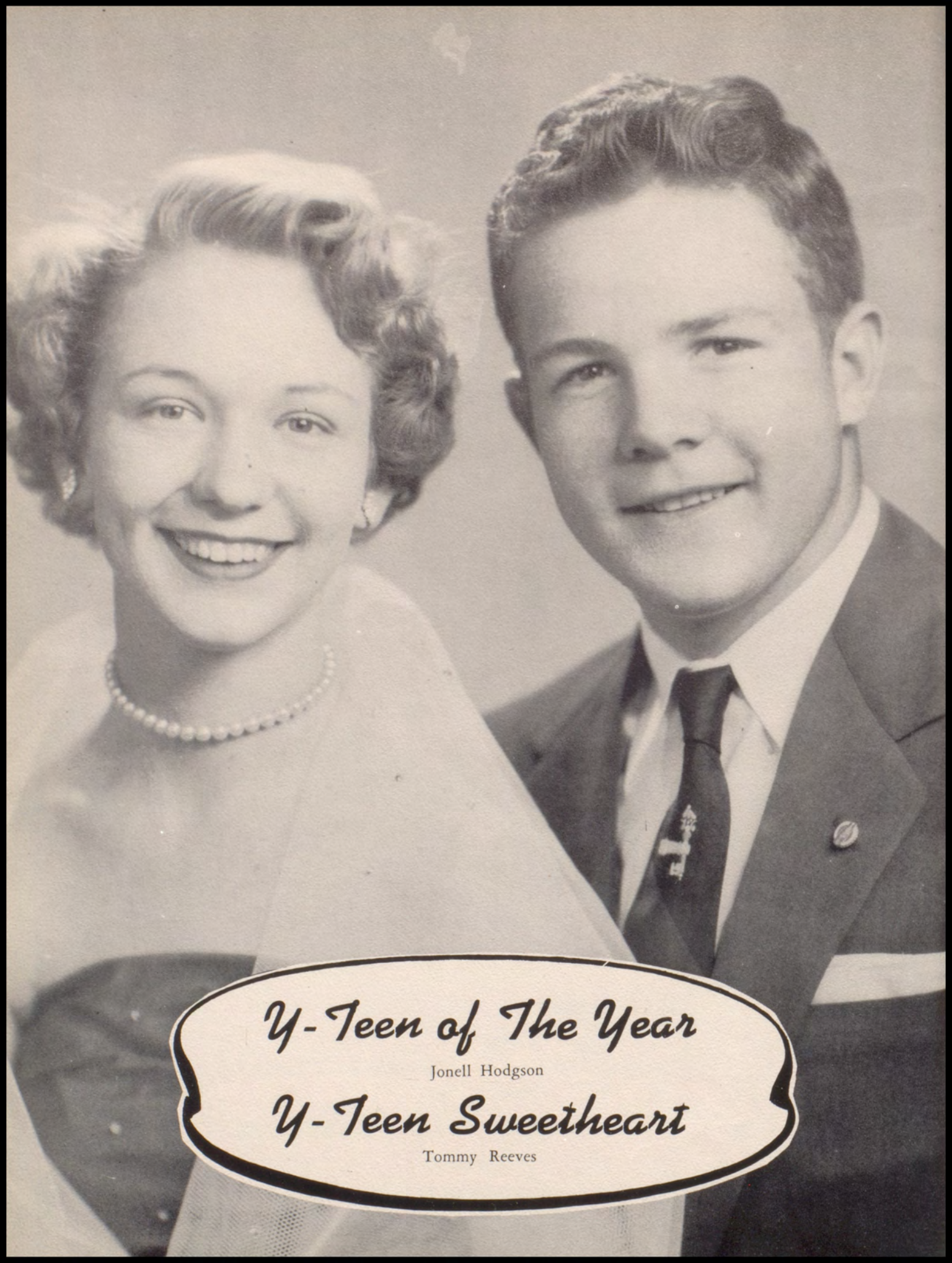
Freshman Favorites

Joe Perez and Phyllis Hirsch



Homecoming Queen

Blanca Ramierz

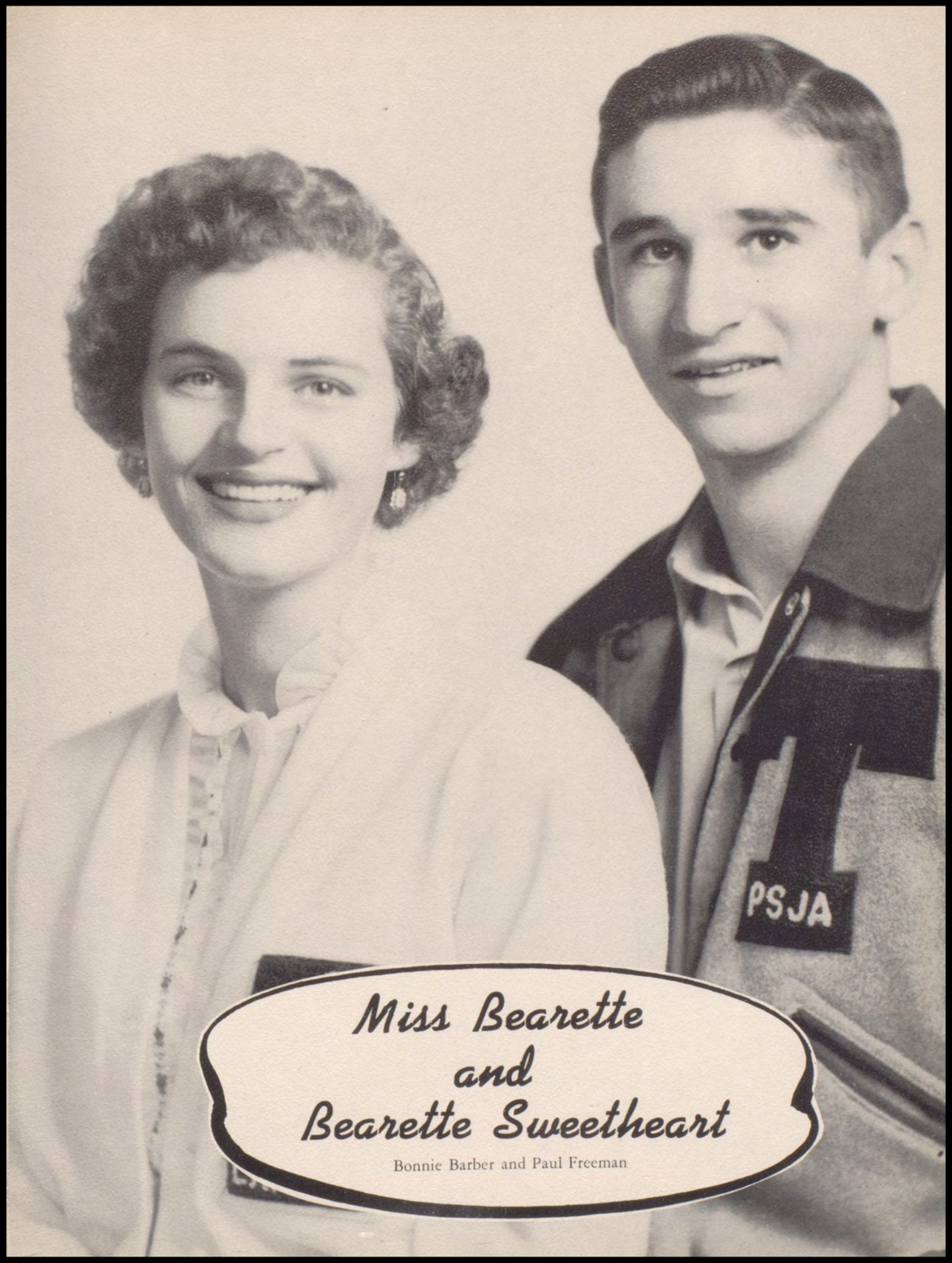


Y-Teen of The Year

Jonell Hodgson

Y-Teen Sweetheart

Tommy Reeves



*Miss Beurette
and
Beurette Sweetheart*

Bonnie Barber and Paul Freeman

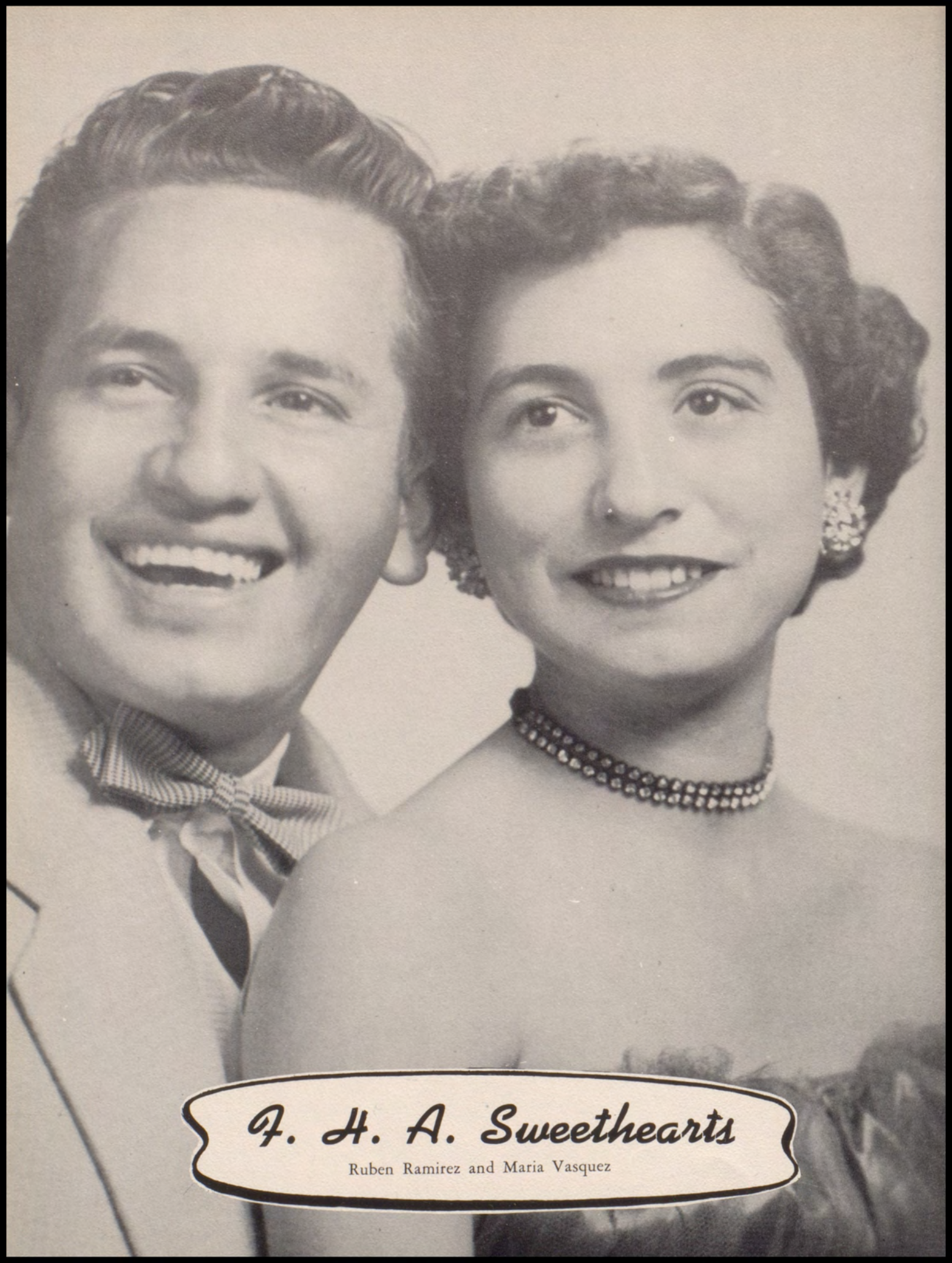


Honey Bear

Bobbie Lee Trent

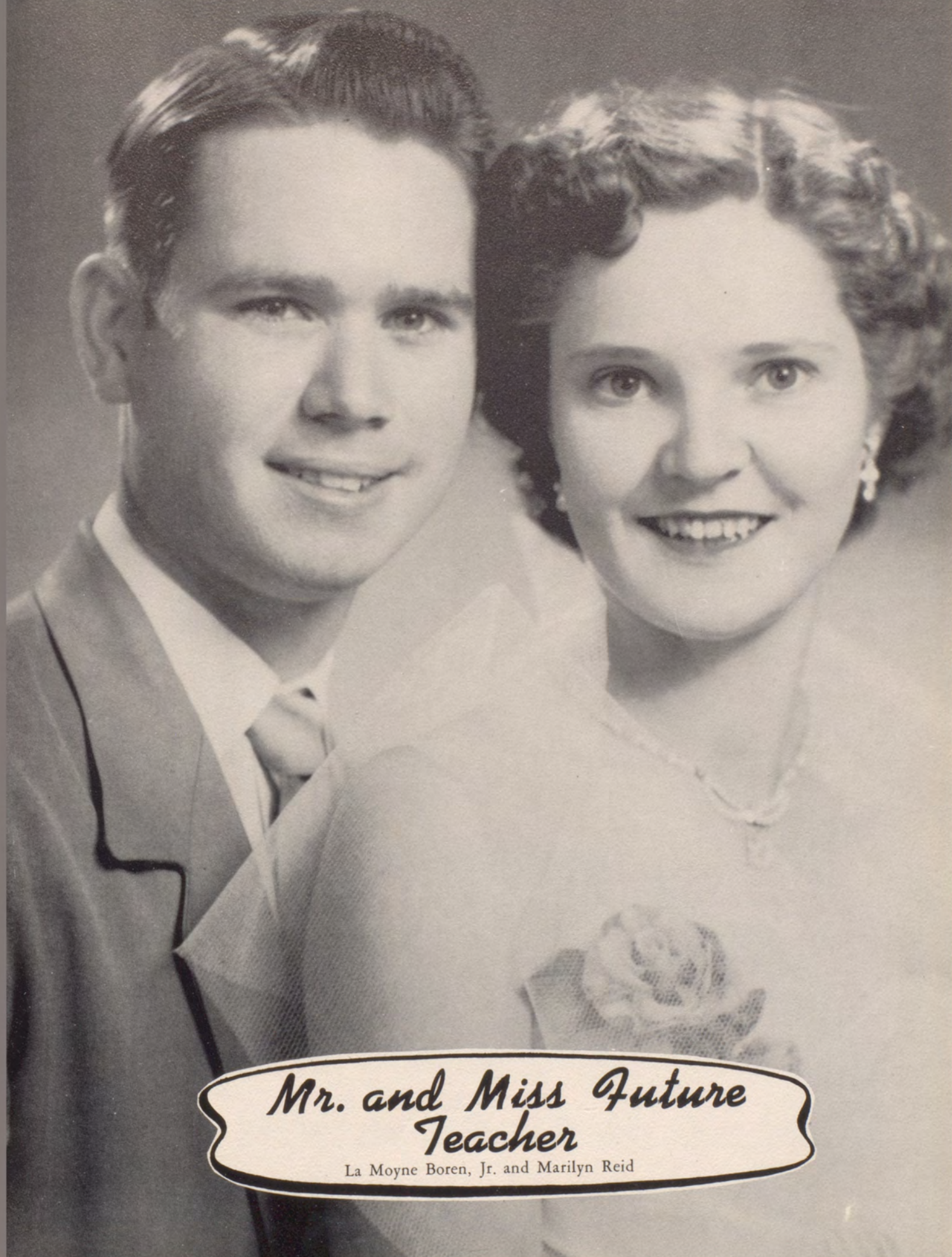


Band Sweetheart
Lila Johnson



F. H. A. Sweethearts

Ruben Ramirez and Maria Vasquez



*Mr. and Miss Future
Teacher*

La Moyne Boren, Jr. and Marilyn Reid



F. F. A. Sweethearts

Libby Ann Linn and Rogene Kaderli



D. E. Sweetheart

Maria Elena Leal



7-Club Sweetheart

Roberta McMillin



Administration



Fred Kaderli
Superintendent Of Schools
Pharr, Texas

S. S. Billue
Secretary of School Board
San Juan, Texas

H. H. Wittenburg
Vice President
Alamo, Texas

D. R. Ralston
Alamo, Texas

R. S. Bowe
Pharr, Texas

Cresencio Hernandez
Pharr, Texas

Paul Hetrick
President
San Juan, Texas

Tom Aycock
Pharr, Texas

Mr. Fred Kaderli took over his duties as Superintendent of Schools on July 1, 1953. Mr. Kaderli is president of the Texas Association of School Administrators. He is on the elementary committee for the Southern Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools, and has been on the National Council of Teacher Education for two years. He is a recognized authority on school finance.



Miss Geraldine Palmer,
Secretary





Mr. C. M. Callihan, Principal

Mr. Barton Siebring, Vice-Principal

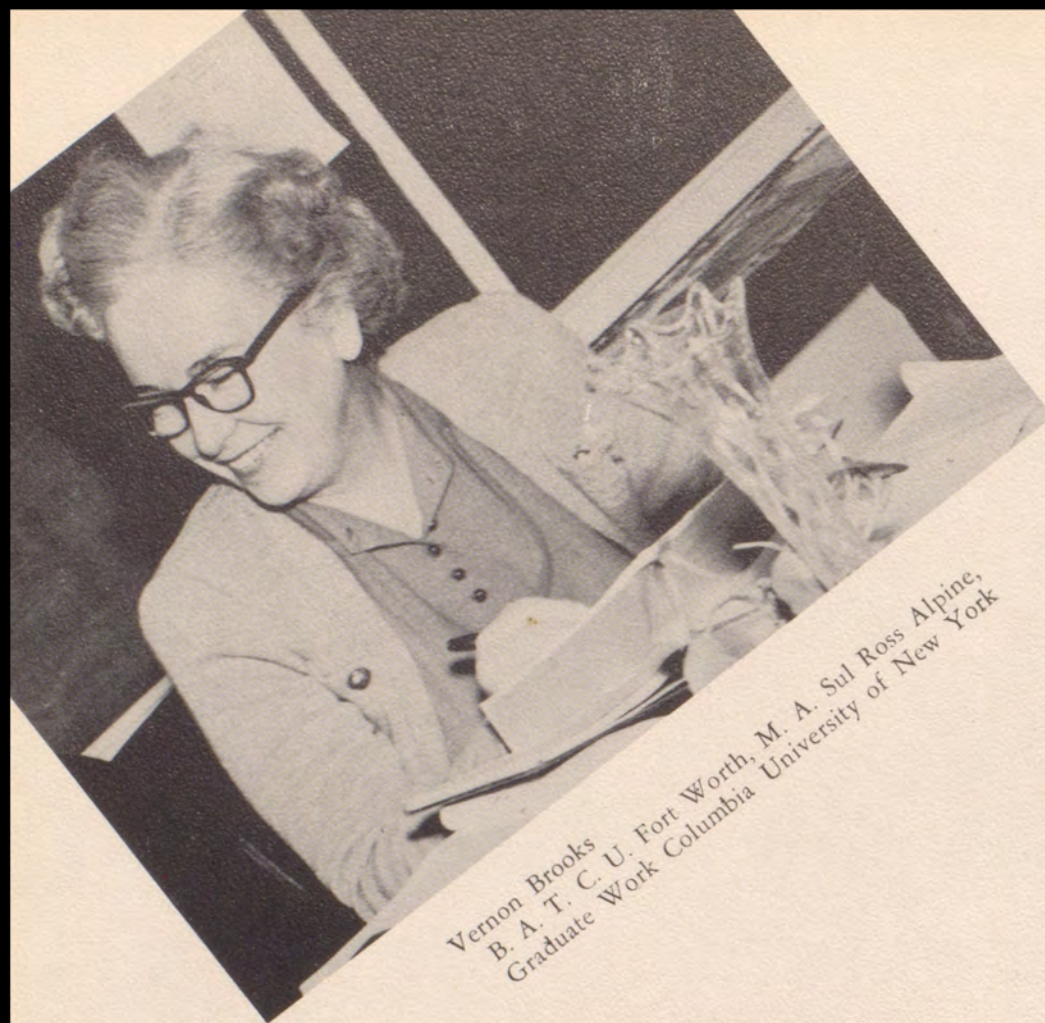




The students of P. S. J. A. High School wish to give due credit to the tireless effort of our teachers and for guiding and counseling us through these years.

Helen Bowman
B. A. University of Wisconsin
B. E. Platleville College





Vernon Brooks
B. A. T. C. U. Fort Worth, M. A. Sul Ross Alpine,
Graduate Work Columbia University of New York



Ruth Bolling
B. A. Hardin Simmons
B. S. North Texas
State



Evelyn Kelley
B. S. University
of Texas



Florine Neff
B. A. Baylor University
M. A. A. & I.



Ethel Carman
B. A. Western Kentucky
Teachers College
M. A. Peabody College



Faye Burkhart
B. S. Drake University



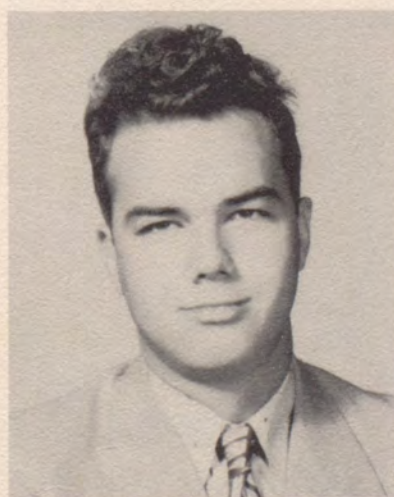
Edith Carman
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M. A. Peabody College



Ruth Emery
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Tex. U&A&I.



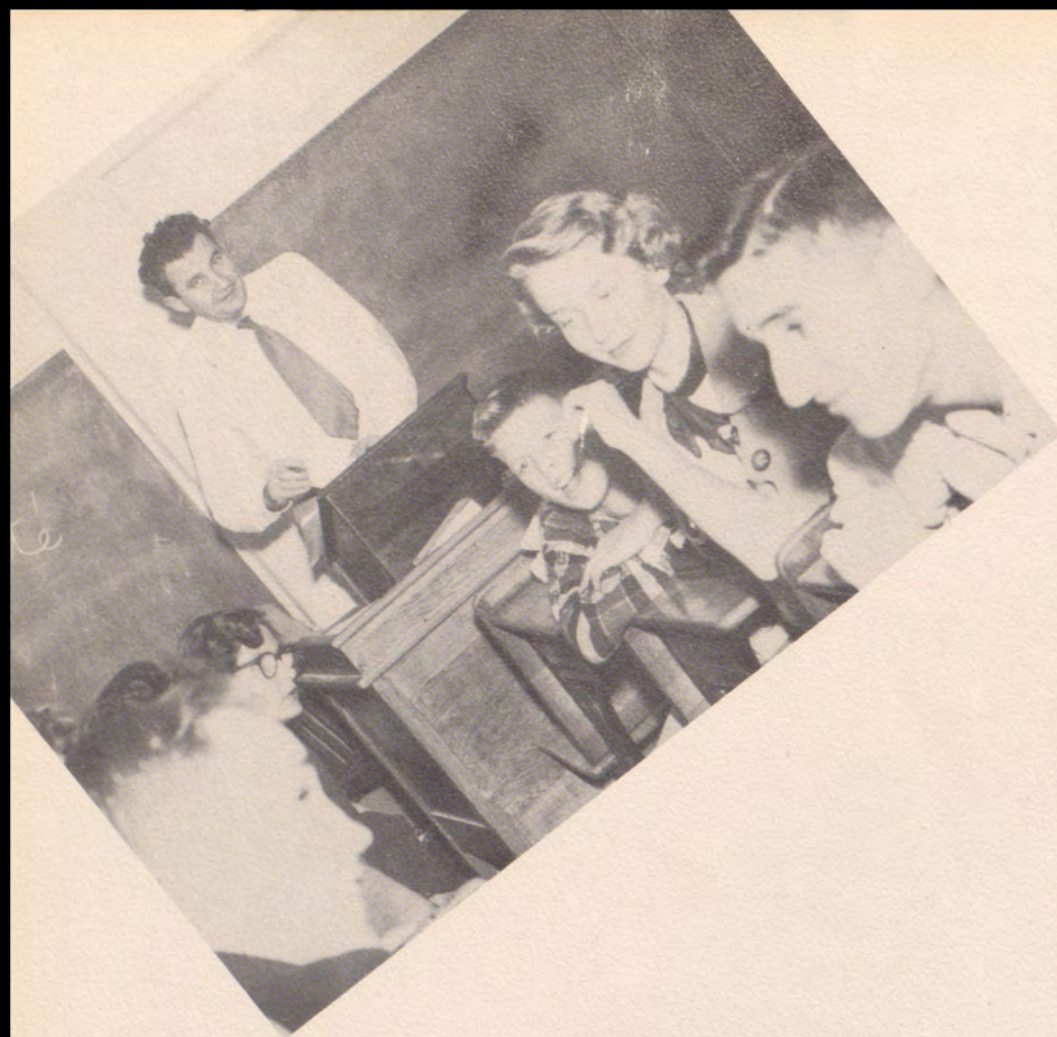
T. C. Olsen
B. A. Yankton College



Harold Billings
B. A. Pan. Am. College



Vernice Wodrich
B. A. & M. A. Univ. of
Illinois



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west Tex. State Col.



Emma Martinez
B. B. A. The Univer.
of Texas.



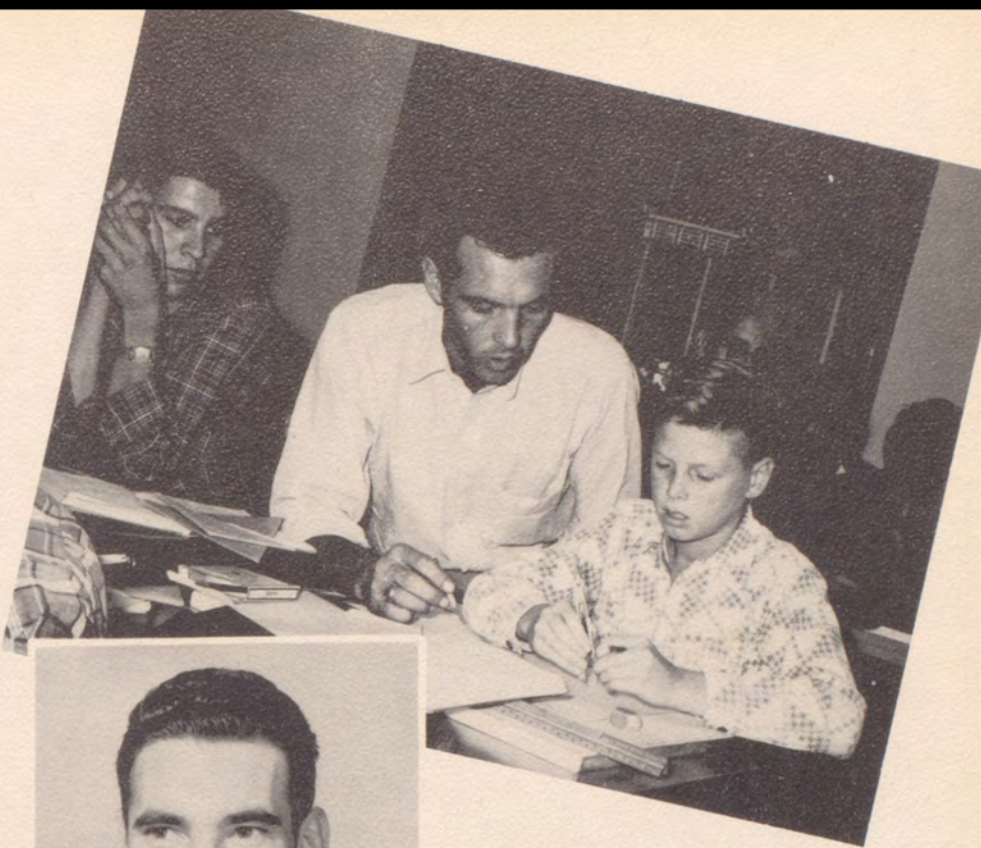
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B. S. Southwest Tex.
State College.



Arlene Siebring
B. A. Augustana Col.
Sioux Falls, S. Dak.



Barbara Smith
B. S. Sul Ross Col.
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Nan Andrews
B. S. T. S. C. W.



Gayle Clemons
B. S. Texas A&M.
M. Ed. East Texas
State Teachers College



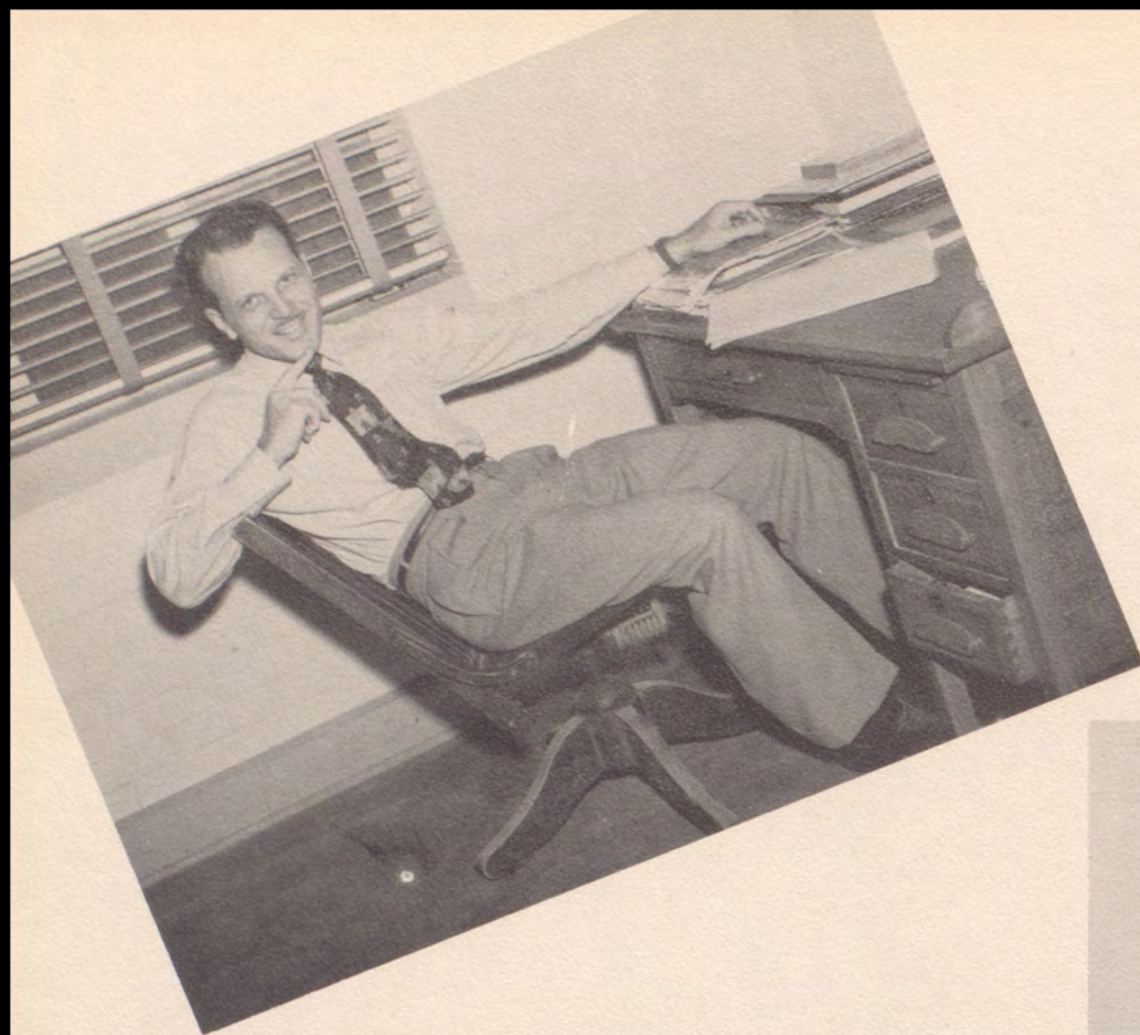
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College Abilene, Texas



Mary McGaughey
B. S. Colorado A&M.



Robert Visel
B. S. Southwest
Texas State Teachers
College



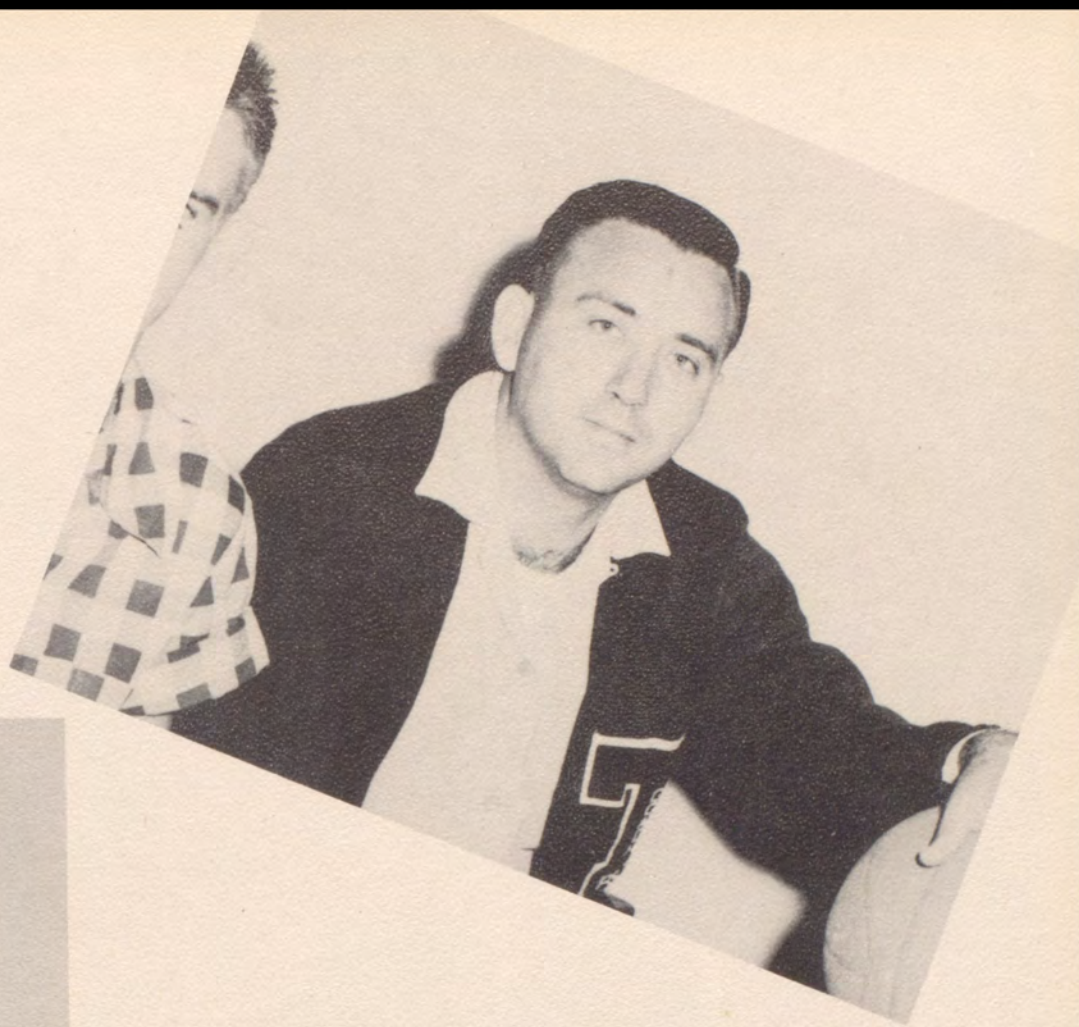
Theron Kirk
B. M., M. M. Baylor
Univ., Eastman
School of Music,
Roosevelt College of
Chicago



David Gamboa
B. M. A. & I.



Walter Whitlow
B. S. Northwestern State
College of Louisiana. M. Mus.
Vandercook Col. of Music



Charles Cain
B. A. North Texas State



Jeanette Cain
B. A. Texas State
College for Women



Douglas Cook
B. A. Trinity Univ.



Charles Stewart
B. S. Sam Houston
M. S. U. of Houston



Franca Cilley
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Lorene Hyde
B. S. Ed. N. T. S. C.

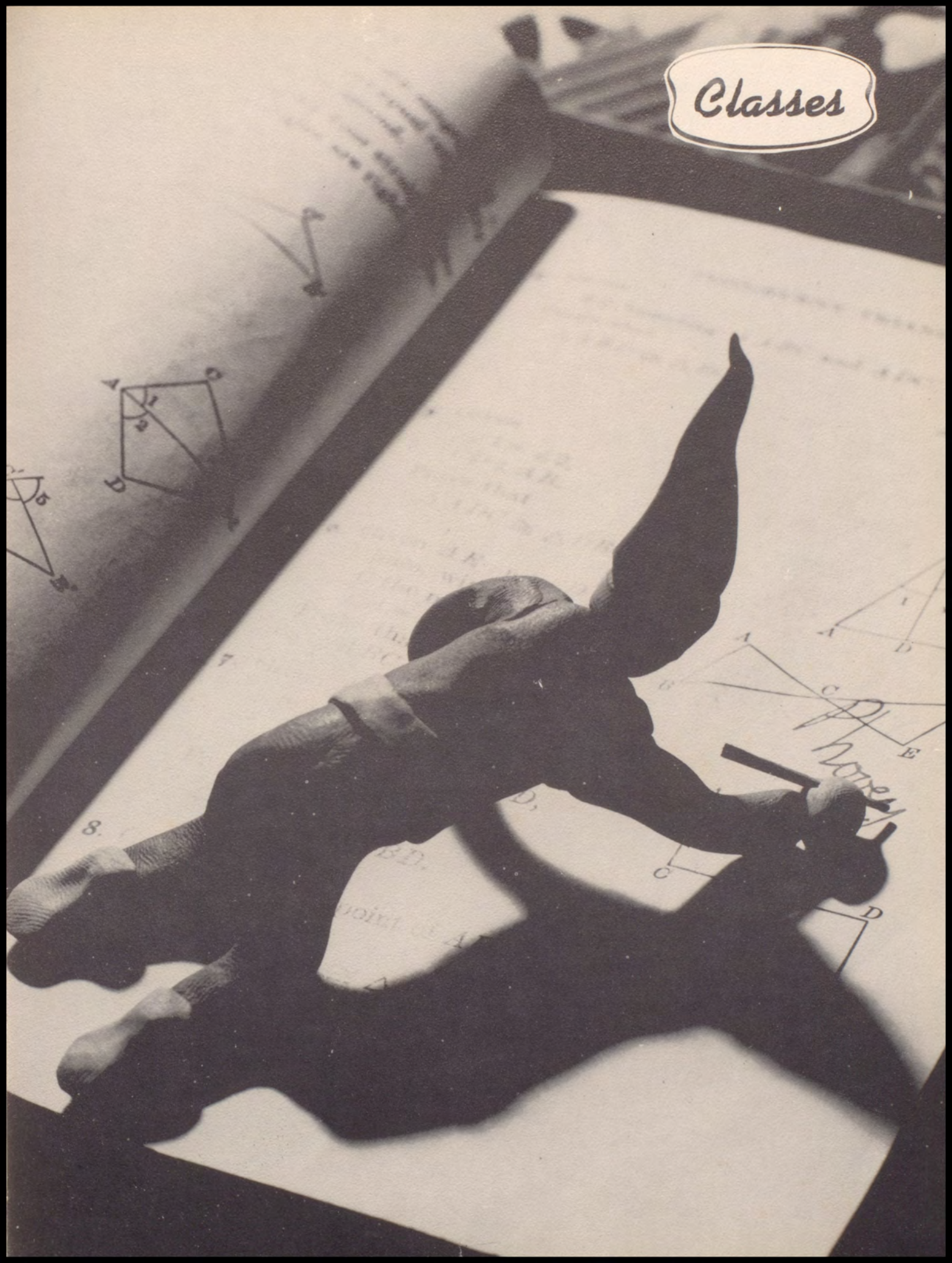


Marilyn Shellenberger
Okla. A & M



Hermencia Salazar
B. S. Southwest Texas
State Teachers Col.

Classes



They're Always First ...

All dreams come true during those magic days—the Senior year at P. S. J. A.

"Viva, Monterrey," English 4, leaving assembly first, commencement—all these spell S-E-N-I-O-R, in letters ten feet tall.

Being a Senior isn't all play, of course. A gift to the school, something tangible to remind all comers of the Class of '54, must be bought. This means money-making schemes, culminating with that all-important Senior Play. And even a Senior must find time to rack up those last six credits.



DICK SORENSEN
President



TRAVIS MARTIN
Vice-President

Weeks of planning and hard work go into a successful Homecoming Day.

Special honors go to some Seniors. To be Homecoming Queen or Belle is the dream of every girl. Leaders of the class are named to Who's Who at P. S. J. A.

At first the days pass slowly, but soon every Senior finds himself in a mad whirl, ending with the Junior-Senior Prom and Commencement.

On that last great night, the best dream of all comes true as each holds his precious diploma that marks the end of four short years of high school life.



CLOTILDE GUERRA
Secretary

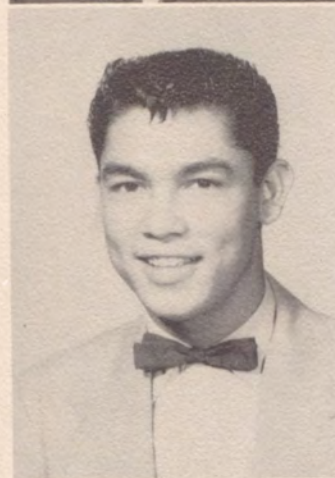
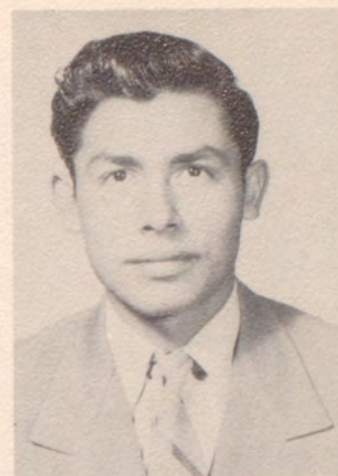


RUBEN RAMIREZ
Treasurer



DON ADAMS
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Football 52-53
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Slide Rule 52-53
Senior Play 52-53
Softball 50-51

DOMINGO ANAYA



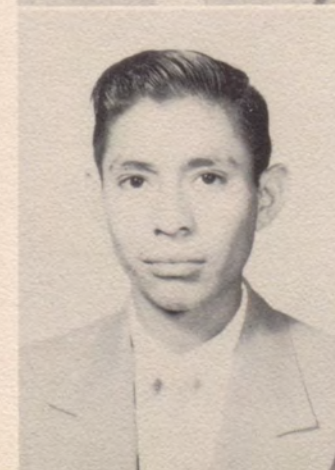
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Anahuac Club 50-51

ABELARDO ARCAUTE
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Mixed Choir 52



JOSE ALMANZA
Jr. High Football 49
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A-Team 51-53
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JESUS ARCAUTE



PABLO ALVARADO
Choir 50-51
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RUBEN AYALA
Band 49-54
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Head-Cheerleader 53-54
Anahuac Club 51-52





BONNIE BARBER
Bearettes 51-54
Miss Bearette 53-54
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PEGGY BENTLEY
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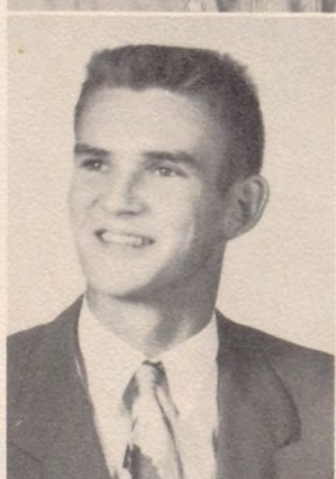
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D. E. 53-54



PATTI BETHEL
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DONALD BARTLEY



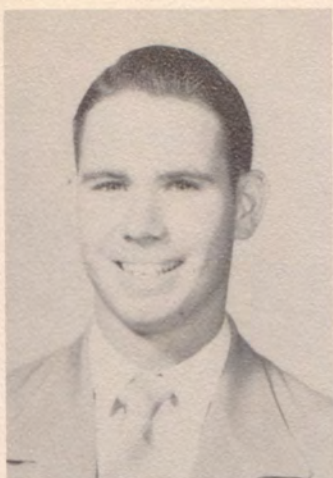
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NORMA LEE BEAVERS
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Bus. Mgr. 53-54



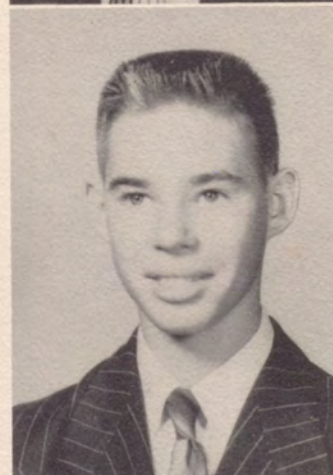
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LA MOYNE BOREN
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Accom. 51-54
Vice-Pres. 53-54
All-State 53
FTA 51-54
Treas. 53
Pres. 54
Dist. Vice-Pres. 54



E. H. BRESSETTE
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Bear's Tale 53-54
Reporter
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CHARLES BRUNT
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Student Council 53-54
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Swing Band 52-54
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Jr. Play 52-53
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ARGELIA CANTU
FHA 51-54
Secretary 51-52
Choir 51-52
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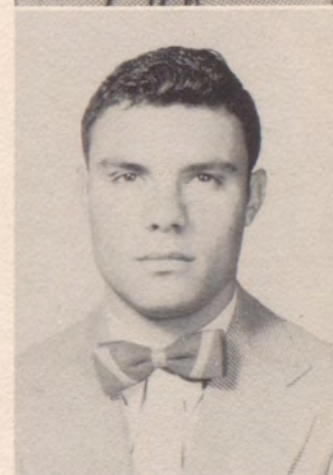
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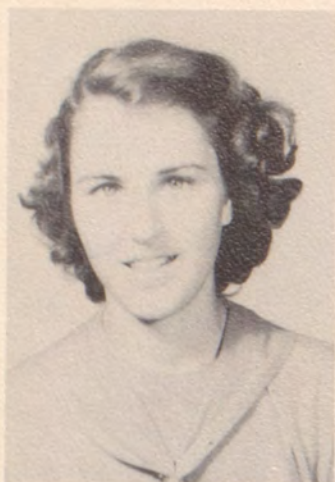


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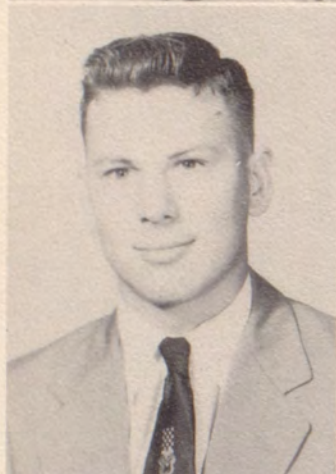
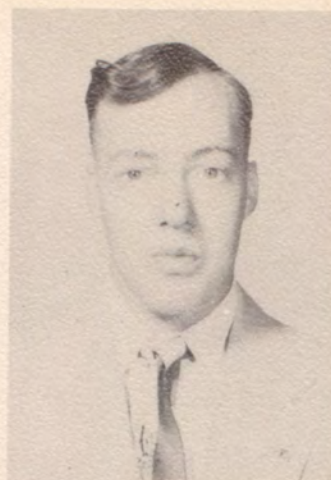
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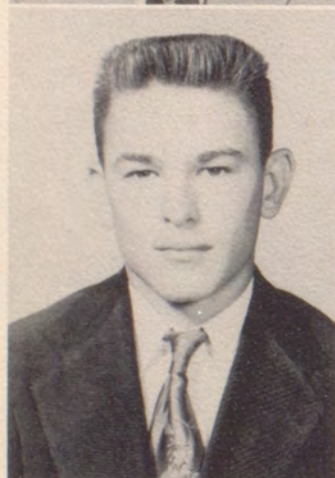
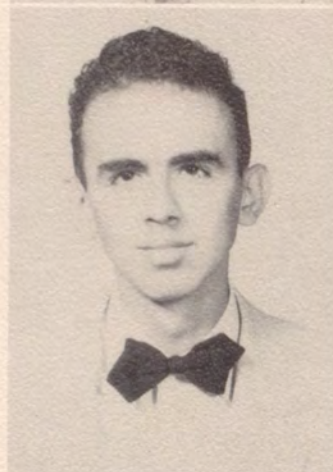
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WESLEY COYLE
Band 50-54



ROBERT CLARK
Football 50-54
Track Mgr. 53
T-Club 53

HECTOR DE LEON



KEITH CONQUEST
Football 53-54
Slide Rule 53-54
Track 53-54
Choir 53-54

ROBERT DICUS
Football 50-54
T-Club 52-54
Tennis 50-51
Track 53-54



PAT COOK
Y-Teens 50-52
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DOROTHY EDDY
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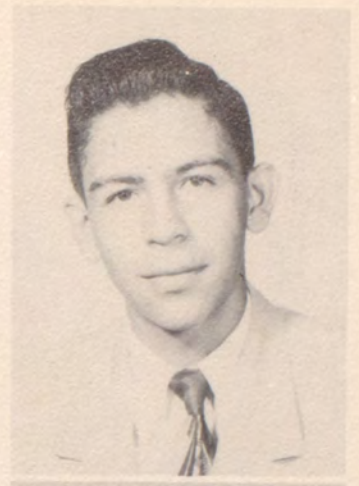




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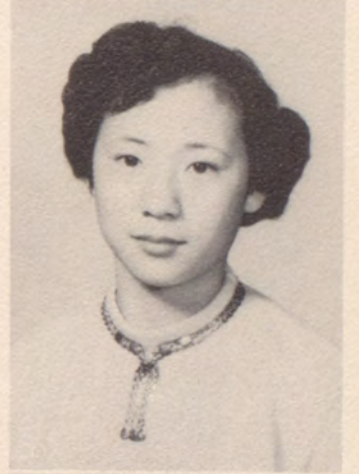


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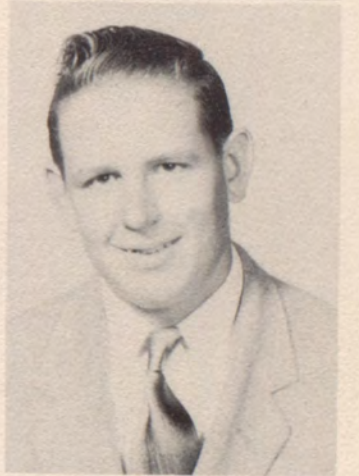


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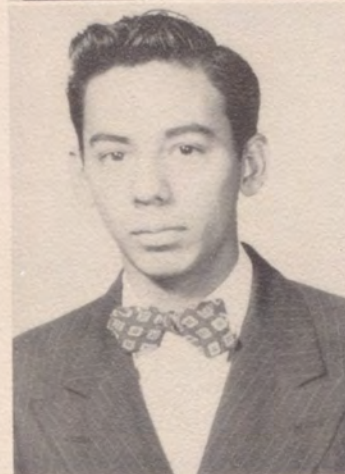
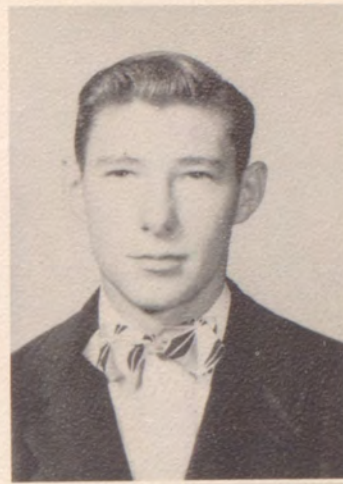
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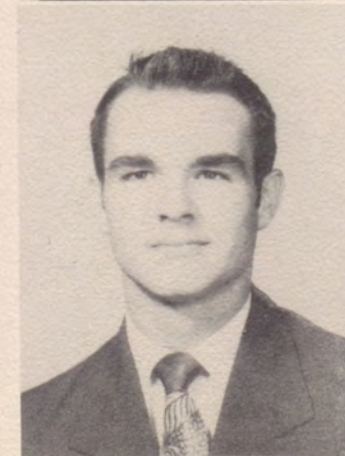
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BILLY HAVENS
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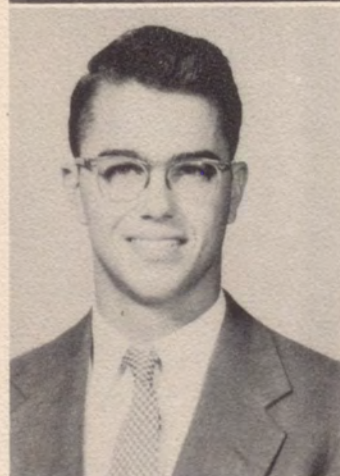
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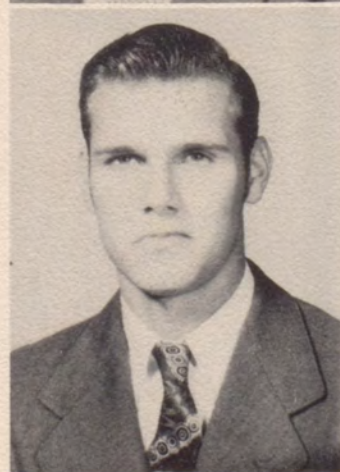
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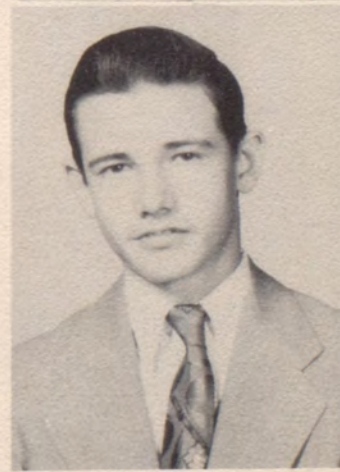
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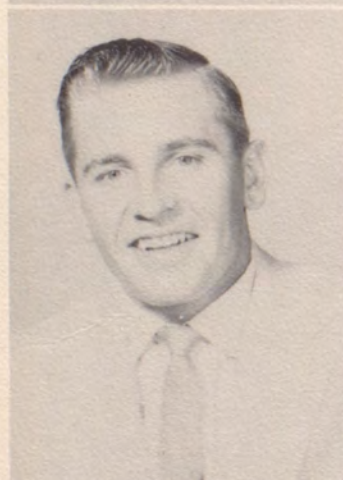


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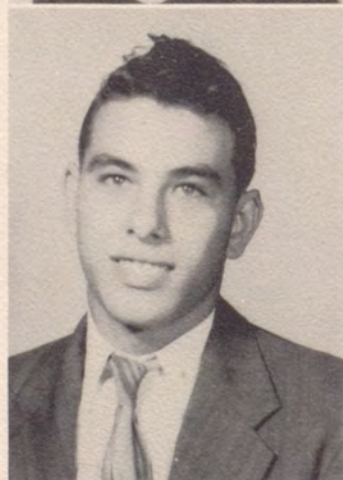


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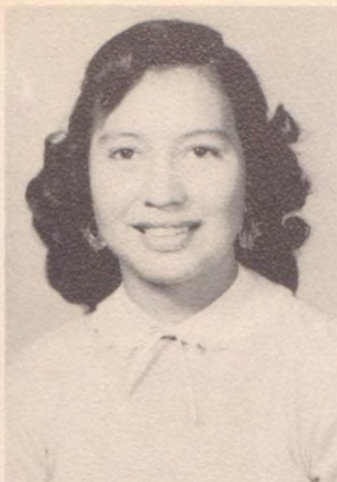
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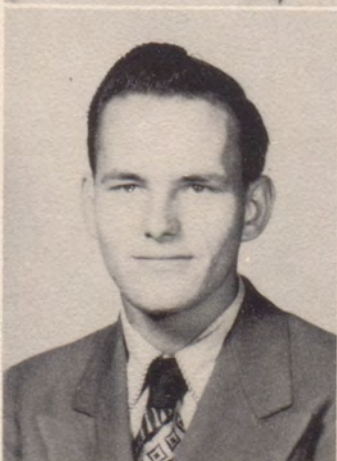
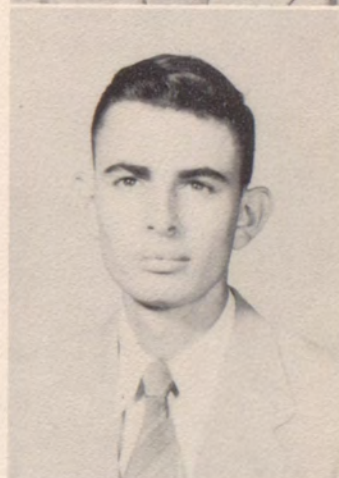
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DON PEAVY



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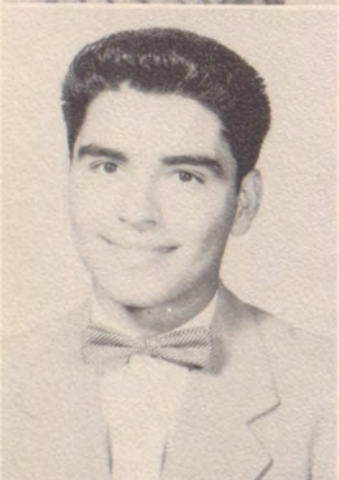


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ROSA RAMOS

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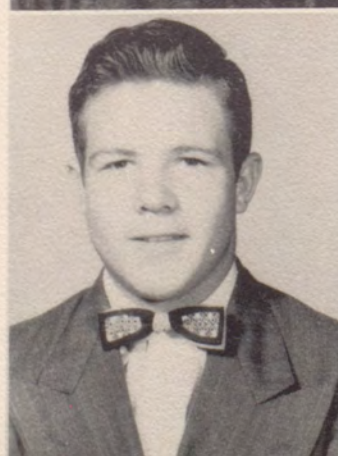
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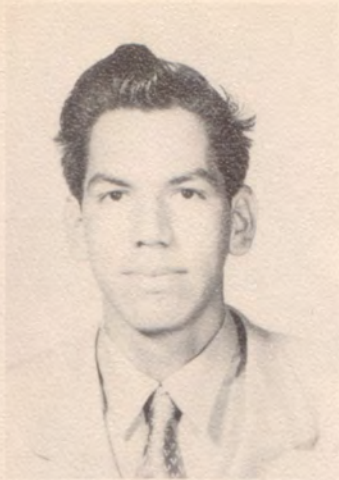


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DE President 53-54

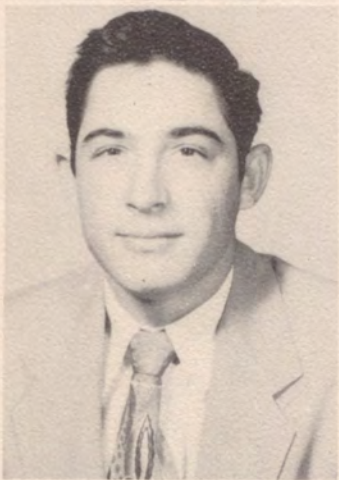
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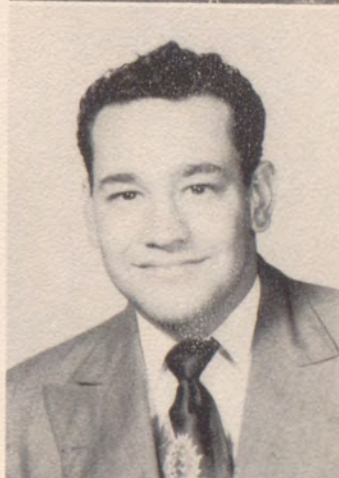
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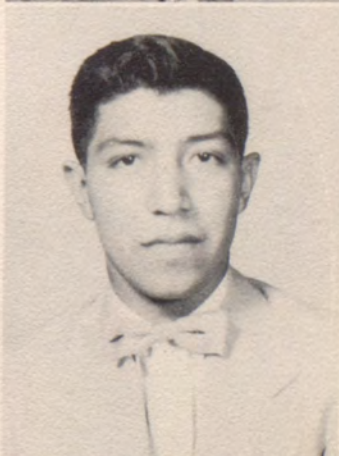
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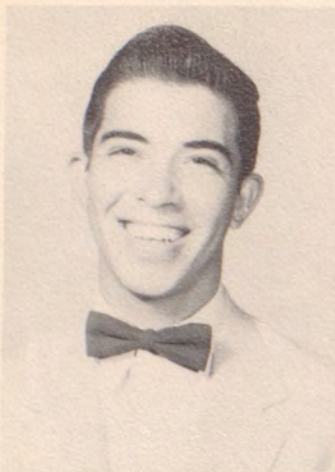
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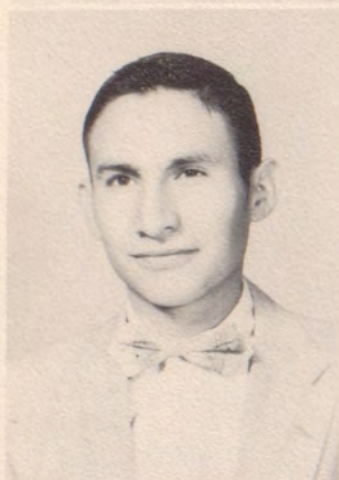
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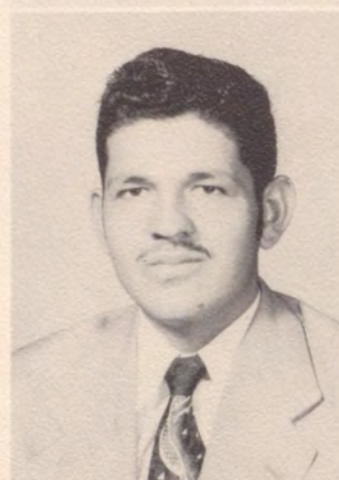
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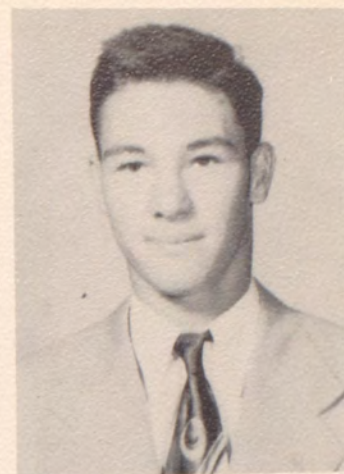
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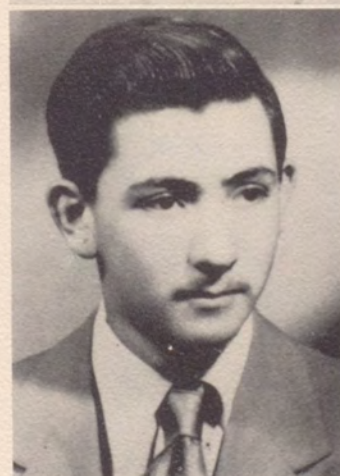
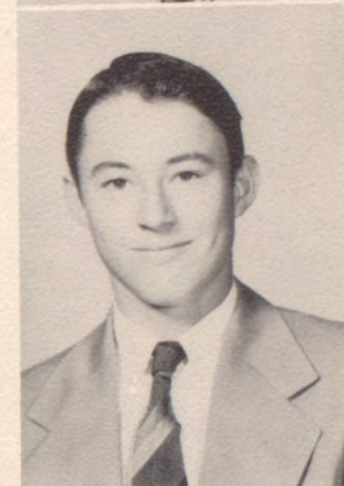
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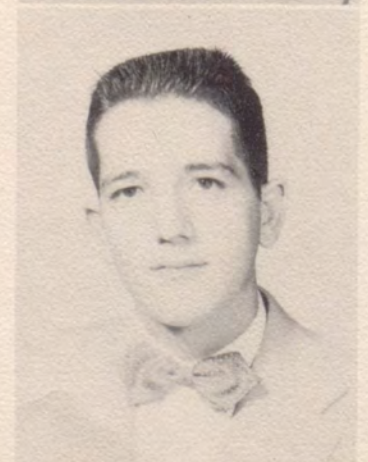
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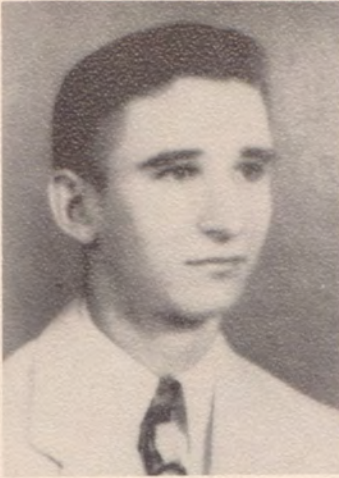
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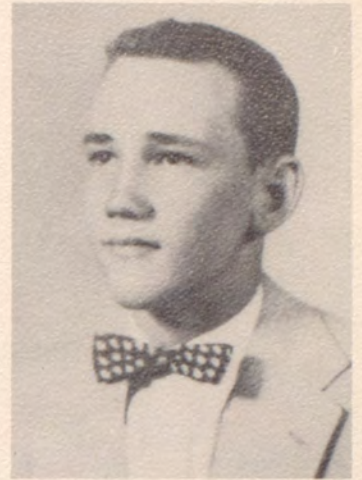
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LEON COX
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PAUL FREEMAN
 President Freshman
 President Junior
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DICK SORENSEN
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 Junior Treasurer
 Sophomore Favorite
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Dorothy Zimmerman out sun bathing



Dick Sorensen and Travis Martin



Drum Major, Nita Hines



JUNIOR OFFICERS: Max Cantu, Vice-President; Don Inge, President; Joe Coughran, Treasurer; Gladys Klepfer, Reporter; Joy Sims, Secretary.

They Sell Anything ...

"Wanna' buy? Wanna' buy?"

That is the battle cry of the Junior Class.

Throughout the year this army of salesmen marches on the pocketbooks of the unwary.

Their objective? To give the Seniors a Junior-Senior banquet and prom they will never forget.

Every home football game finds the stands filled with eager salesmen of cold drinks, hot dogs, candy apples, peanuts . . . Their motto: If it's edible, we'll get it.

As soon as the last game is over, the search begins for dramatic talent for the Junior Play.

The Juniors do take time off from their money-making efforts to order their class rings, sponsor the Belle and Beau Dance, and, of course, to practice the Senior yell.

After settling the bills for the banquet-prom, their last service as Juniors is to decorate for commencement.

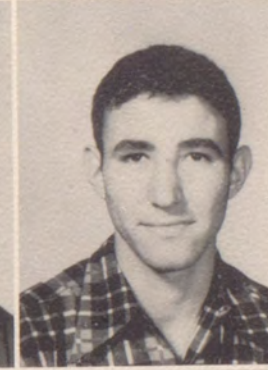
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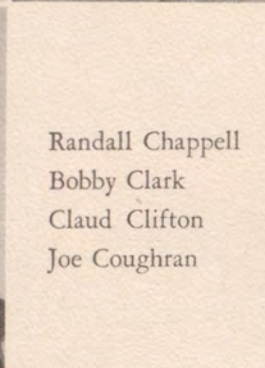
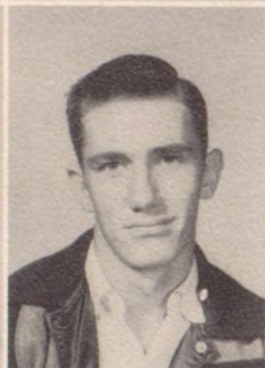
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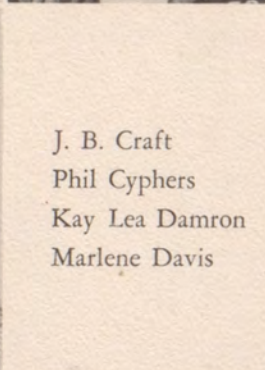
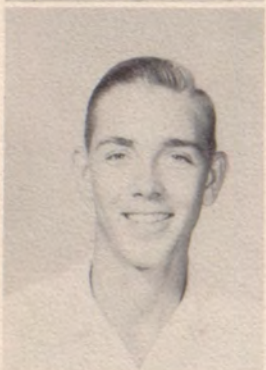
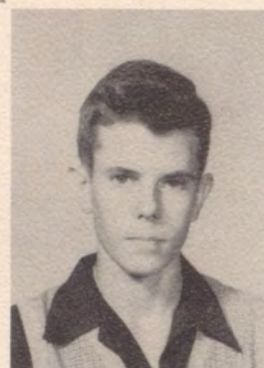
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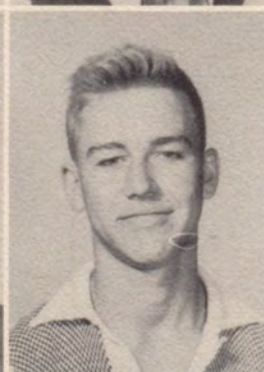
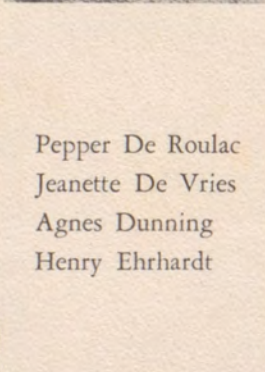
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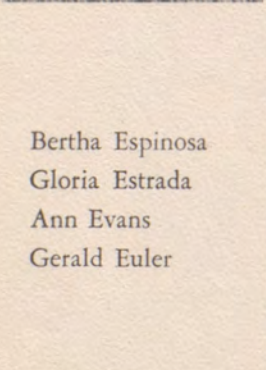
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Agnes Dunning
Henry Ehrhardt



Bertha Espinosa
Gloria Estrada
Ann Evans
Gerald Euler

Alfonso Flores
Reynaldo Flores
Silverio Flores
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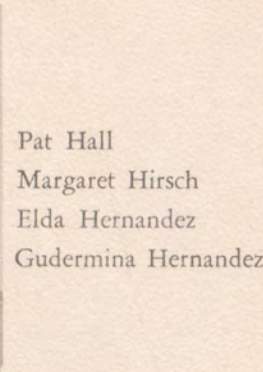
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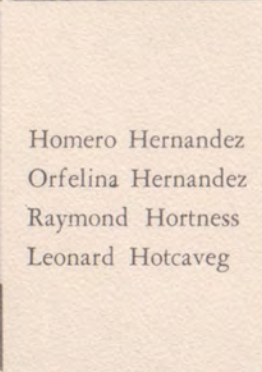
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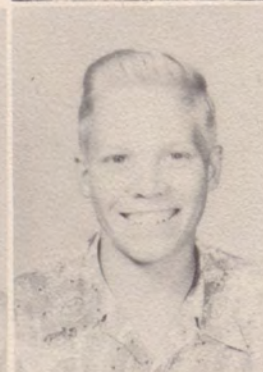
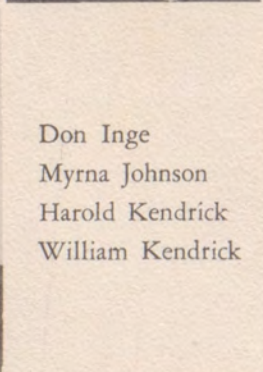
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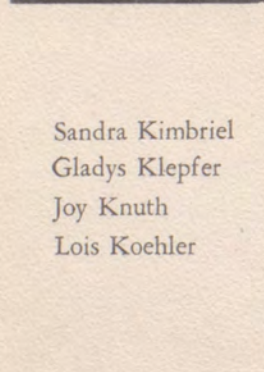
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Margaret Hirsch
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William Kendrick



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Leland Leighton
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Aurelia Martinez



Ernestina Martinez
Johnney Marr
Julian Martinez
Tony Martinez



Roberta McMillin
Max Mendiola
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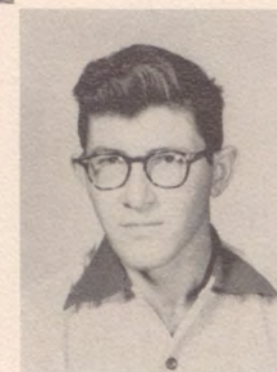
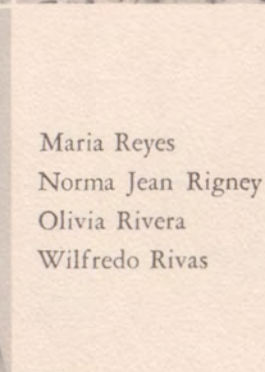
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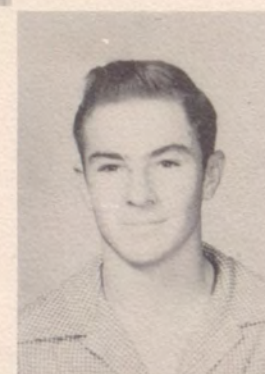
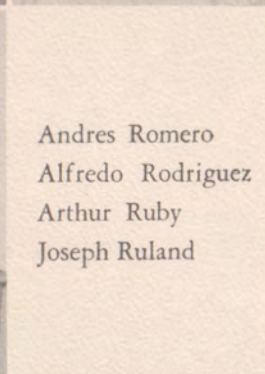
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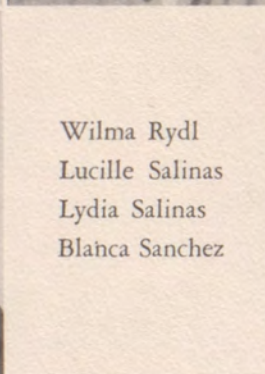
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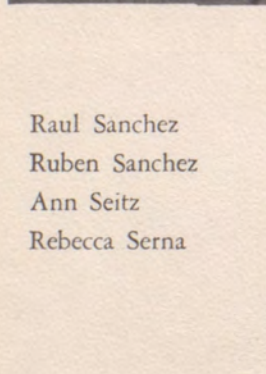
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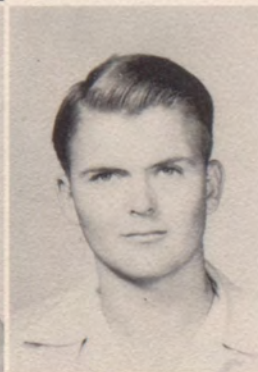
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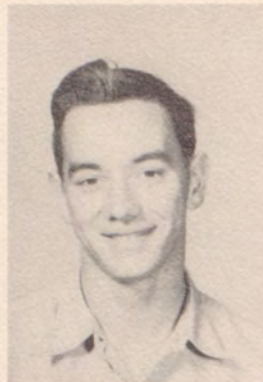
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KENNETH ZINK



This is none other than
Marvene Anderson



Madame Pat Hall



These are our dear old faithful
"Junior Birdmen"



SOPHOMORE OFFICERS: Mercedes Lozano, Treasurer; Harvey Hogan, Vice-President; J. P. Lockhart, President; Dixie Eubank, Reporter; Elva Balli, Secretary.

They're Getting The Hang...

The Sophomore year is the time to relax and enjoy high school life. It lacks the hectic bustle of the last two years; but it lacks, too, the awful newness of the Freshman year.

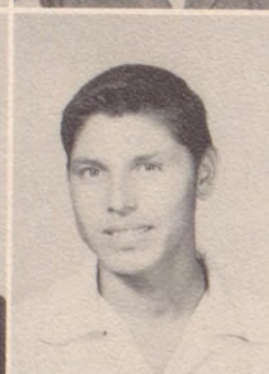
Assured citizens of the high school community, the Sophomores assume positions of leadership in the organizations and activities.

Schedules for sophomores are not as rigid, and he suddenly finds new fields open for him to explore. Home economics and agriculture offer practical experiences.

Sophomores take one last deep breath before plunging into the whirlpool labeled "For Upperclassmen."



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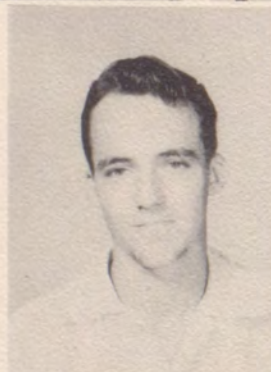


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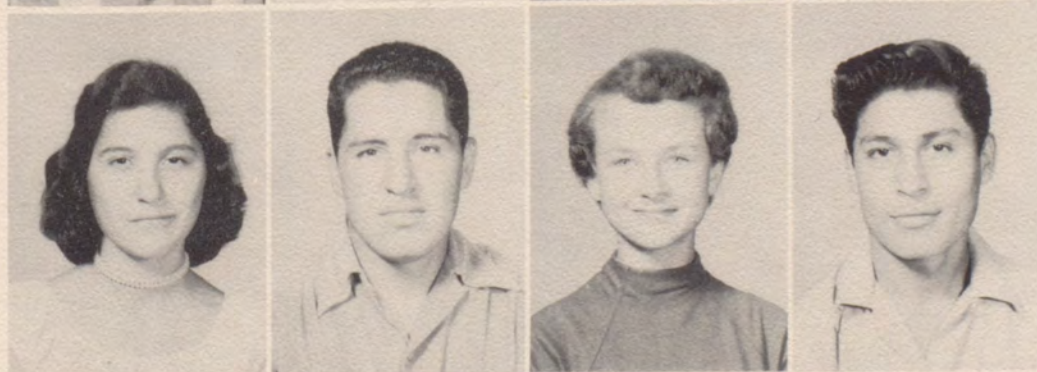
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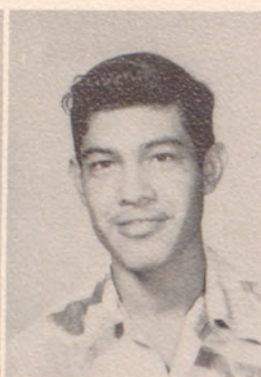
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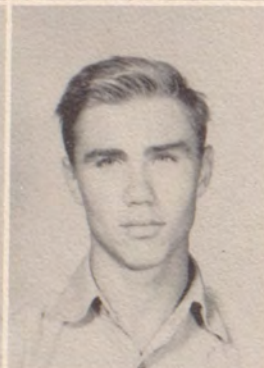
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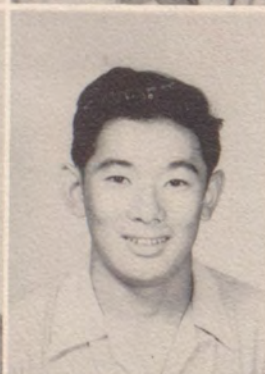
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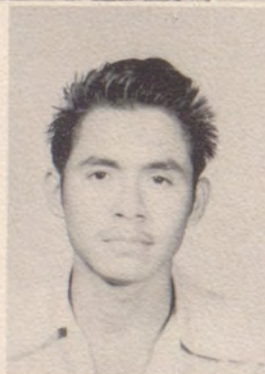


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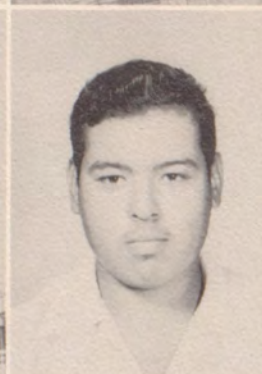
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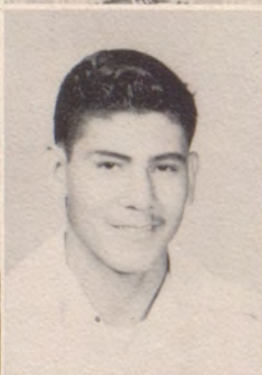
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Homemakers of tomorrow?
La Verne Wagner and
Joann Frazier



Dixie Eubank



Virginia Johnson is thinking
for once in her life.



Elva Balli



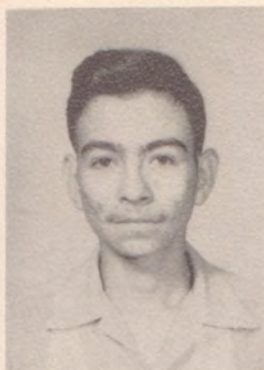
FRESHMAN CLASS OFFICERS: Carolyn Hall, reporter; Carol Dowdy, treasurer; Barbara Pennington, secretary; Hector Palacios, president; and David Freeman, vice-president.

They're Just Beginning...

Seniors of '57—the lowly Freshmen—entered the halls of P. S. J. A. with swarms of butterflies somewhere in their mid-sections, and a sinking feeling that couldn't be specifically located.

In a few short weeks though, the strangeness wore off and those Upperclassmen (with a capital U) were found to be nice folks after all. By the last pep rally every Freshman could sing "On, On P. S. J. A." right along with the rest.

And whether they are Fish of '34, '54, or '74, Freshmen can always dream of being Seniors in three short years.



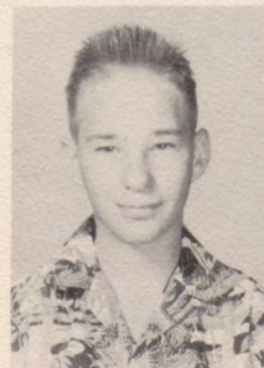
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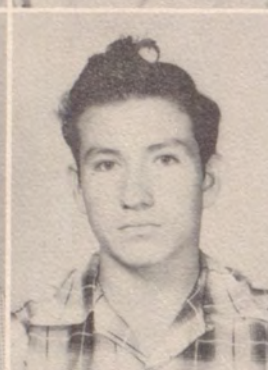
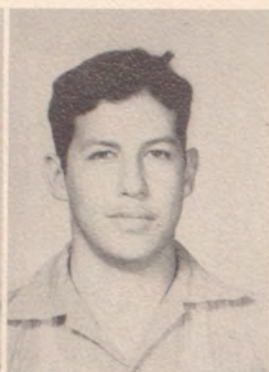
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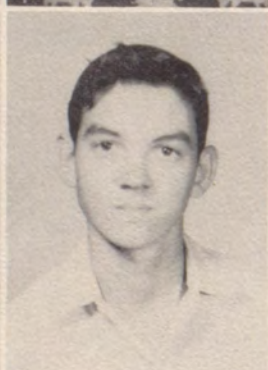
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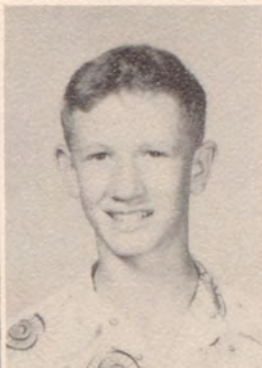
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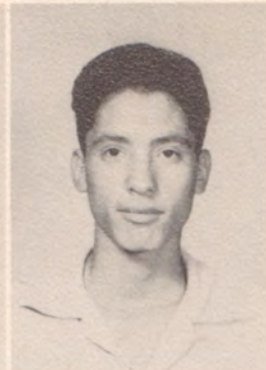
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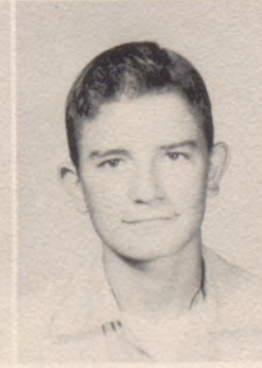
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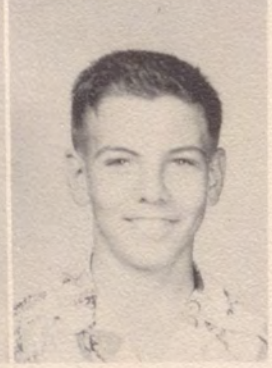
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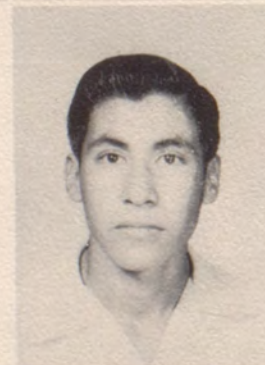
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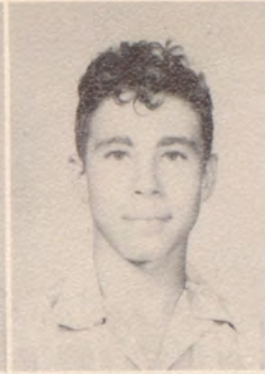
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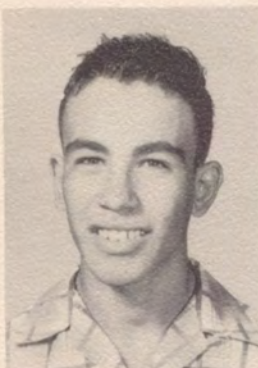
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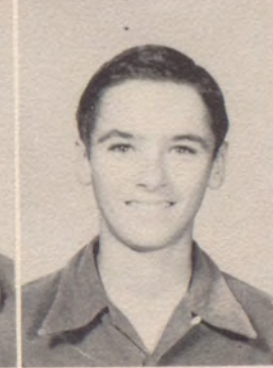
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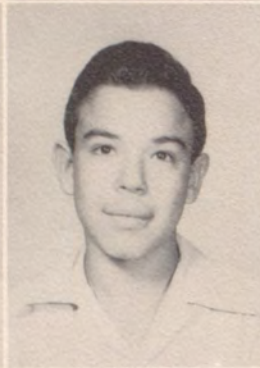
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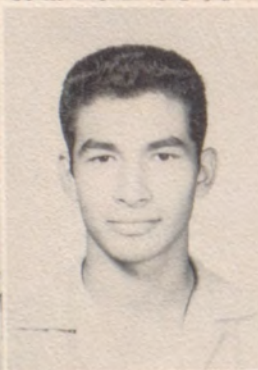
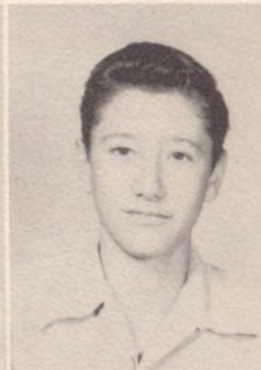
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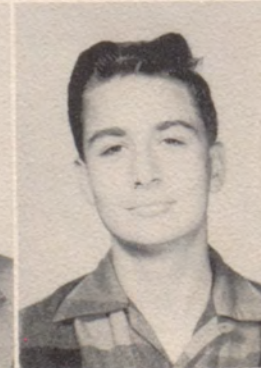
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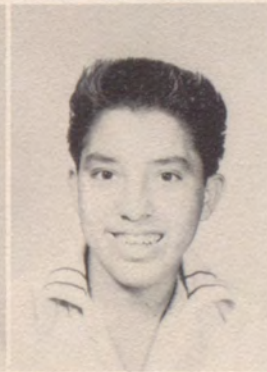
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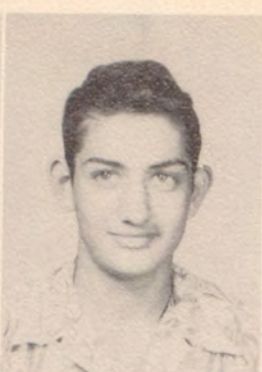
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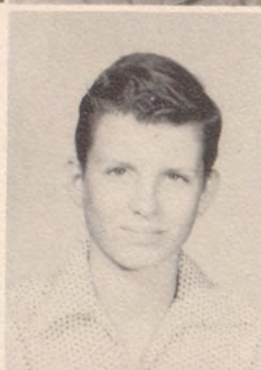


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What happened to your feet,
Lou Nan Hunter and Nelda
Baker?



It's just puppy love
for Irma Leal and
Dionisia Munoz.



Ofelia Guerra



